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FUNERAL SERVICES

Over the Remains of Dynamite Victims at Sinnamahoning.

Last Thursday morning, at ten o'clock, joint funeral services were held over the remains of the victims of the gelatine explosion at Sinnamahoning—J. D. Nelson, Edward Cole, Harry Cole, Samuel Shadman and Fillmore Summerson—one casket each for the remains of Nelson and Summerson, while one casket held the remains of Sam'l Shadman, Ed. Cole and Harry Cole.

Rev. Mr. Dickson, pastor of M. E. Church of Sinnamahoning, assisted by the Rev. Mr. Robertson, rector of Emmanuel Episcopal Church, Emporium, conducted the services. The church was crowded with the relatives and friends of the deceased, many coming from surrounding country to pay their sad tokens to the departed ones.

A choir consisting of V. E. Crum and wife, Thomas Piper, Mrs. Anna Fulton, Mrs. J. H. Baird, Miss Mabel Buchannan and Miss Lottie Brooks, organist.

The remains of Mr. Summerson were taken to his old home at Hammersley Fork for burial. The remains of the others were laid to rest in the village cemetery, being followed to the "silent city" by a large number of people. The powder makers served as casket bearers for the remains of Nelson, while the P. O. S. of A., took charge of the union casket, sixty of their members being present in full regalia. It wrs indeed a sad day for Sinnamahoning.

Hon. Josiah Howard, a large stockholder in the Powder Company, and Mr. Chas. T. Logan, also an official of the Company, were present at the funeral; also Mr. W. C. Swartwood, of Emporium.

The floral offerings were very beautiful and were presented by the Company, employees, P. O. S. of A., and friends. The committee composed of Mrs. Nelson, Miss Mabel Buchannan deserve great credit for their thoughtful work.

In times of sorrow and distress there are always those who come to the relief. The large amount of work to be done at a time like this was, the one to lead in all arrangements has his hands full. Mr. Victor E. Crum, surrounded by such assistants as Al. Ensign, E. D. Debuque, J. V. Strayer, E. S. Randolph, and others, took full charge of every detail—gathering up the remains, (about 300 pounds in all) procuring caskets, and a thousand and one other matters—deserve great credit for their faithful work.

Teachers' Examinations.

Teachers examinations will be held in the High School building on Friday morning, June 28, 1907. The hour for the examinations will be at 8:30.

Auction.

On Monday, July 1st, at one o'clock p. m., Mr. Henry Robinson will sell at auction at the home of the late Robt. Armstrong, at Beechwood, all the personal property. Remember the date.

New Clerk.

F. J. Nichols, of Smethport, a practical and experienced dry goods and general merchandise salesman, has accepted a position in the Diehl store and entered upon the discharge of his duties.

Williamsport Boom to Go.

The Williamsport boom will soon be demolished. A mill will be erected to saw the boom timber and sunken logs. It will require two years to wipe out that once largest lumber boom in the United States.

Overcome by Heat.

E. L. Mason, C. B. Howard & Co's band saw filer, was overcome by heat last Monday. He felt himself getting faint and left the filing room, going back of the mill, where he was found some time after by one of the employees in a precarious condition. Dr. Heilman was hastily summoned and injected powerful restoratives, after which he was taken to his room at the City Hotel. He has been very sick ever since, but hopes to be able to sit up to-day. Mr. Mason, while a large and powerful man, could not stand King Sun's heat.

Not a Mind Reader.

A grocer in a nearby town happened around when a farmer was unloading several boxes filled with groceries which he had ordered from a Chicago department store. The groceryman asked the farmer the price of the articles purchased and then told him that he could sell them just as cheap. The farmer then said: "Is that so? I take the home paper, but you seldom or never advertise. I am not a mind reader."

No Paper Next Week.

"In accordance with the time-honored custom," the PRESS will not be issued July 4th week. Our office will be open for the transaction of business, each day except the Fourth. Please bear this in mind, friends. Let the old Eagle scream.

Base Ball.

Johnsonburg played here again Monday and Emporium received another defeat. The home team should have won the game by a nice margin. While the game was hotly contested from start to finish we had the game won but for an over throw to first by Gilbert in the eighth. Score.

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Base Ball Pickups.

The team showed up to better advantage Monday and should have won.

The management is still on the hunt for players and expects the team to be further strengthened by July 4.

Cummings has been out of the game the past two games, but will be in again on Saturday. We need him badly and will be glad of it.

Gilbert batted like a fiend, but was somewhat off in his fielding.

Overturf had an off day, but is forgiven, as all players are likely to have them.

Liston had three singles and played a magnificent game.

Fox on third is a marvel.

Fisher has forgotten how to bat.

Don't forget St. Marys on Saturday.

Eschbach is holding up his reputation as a catcher. He certainly can't be beat.

"Look at us win the next four games in succession. This is no idle boast." Good. We like your nerve.

Drowned.

Last Sunday, two Polish men, employed at the furnace, went to enjoy a swim above Howards old mill dam, but on their arrival, the water looked too deep for one of the men, and he decided not to venture it, as neither of them could swim, but the other man would not heed, and made just a few steps and sank in about eight feet of water and never raised again. Word was sent to the furnace and Jas. Wright went to the place and after diving three times, brought up the lifeless body. The drowned man leaves a wife and four children in Poland to mourn his death.

A Card.

MR. EDITOR:—

Please convey to all those kind neighbors and friends who so kindly aided and assisted us during the illness and death of our beloved brother, the late John E. McCarthy. Especially we desire to thank Rev. Thos. Downey for his many consoling visits and kind words, as well as his beautiful tribute; C. M. B. A., and K. of C., of Erie and Emporium for floral offerings; The Sisters Hospital at Erie for their affectionate care and helpfullness; and last but not least, our prayers and thanks for Mr. and Mrs. Topper, of Erie, who so kindly assisted and cared for our brother.

THE FAMILY.

Emporium, Pa., June 24th, 1907.

Efficient Official.

W. A. Rose, of Clearfield, Pa., P. O. Inspector was visiting in Emporium on Friday last and made the PRESS a social visit. Mr. Rose is one of the most successful inspectors in the service and keeps a strict line on the crooks through out the country, who commit depredations on Uncle Samuel.

Ladies Emporium.

Mrs. Ida Hamilton, at her store on East Fourth street, has her elegant line of summer goods now on display, consisting of elegant laces, trimmings, aprons, kimonos, long and short dainty dressing saques, shirt waists, ready to wear, ladies hose and underwear, large variety of white goods, silks, velvets and braids. 19-3t.

The Social Swim.

Wedding bells will ring right lively in the very near future. In fact it looks to the society editor as though there were three or four, possibly six fluttering hearts flutting in double time. Watch the PRESS society column. Oh, that we were young again.

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Help us with items, to make this department interesting. Don't be bashful.

For Sale.

Small quantity of Silver Hull seed buckwheat. H. DAY.

DEATH'S DOINGS

NELSON.

Mrs. Elizabeth A. Nelson, widow of Almeron Nelson, Sr., died at the home of her son, Almeron Nelson, Saturday evening at 10:30 o'clock. Early last winter Mrs. Nelson fell, breaking her hip and from this she never fully recovered and has been a great sufferer for many weeks.

Deceased was born on what is known as the Taggart farm two miles from Coudersport in 1841. In 1867 she became the wife of Almeron Nelson, who died eleven years ago. The union was blessed with two children, Mrs. Fred Jones, now of West Paulett, Vt., and Almeron T. Nelson, of Coudersport, and a step daughter, Mrs. Eunice Park, of Binghamton, N. Y. Surviving is also one brother, Hon. L. Taggart, of Emporium and three sisters, Mrs. Annie Burt of Shingle House, Mrs. Flora Ryan and Mrs. Alice Wamsley, of Ridgway.

The funeral will occur this (Tuesday) afternoon at home at 2 o'clock, Rev. Dr. Snodgrass officiating and the burial will be made in the Coudersport cemetery. Deceased had for many years been a consistent member of the Methodist church and her going takes from our midst a good woman, a kind friend and a faithful mother.—Potter Enterprise.

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MCCARTHY.

John E. McCarthy, aged 28 years, died on Saturday, June 22d, 1907, at Emporium, Pa., at the residence of his sister Elizabeth—Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Hauber—on Fifth street. Deceased was the eldest son of Thomas and Eliza McCarthy. Upon the death of their mother, when small, children they were placed in Erie Orphan's Home, where the young man was educated. At the age of 16 he entered the employ of the Erie St. R. R., and continued one of their trusted employees until Jan. 28th last when that fatal malady, consumption. compelled him to give up work, coming to Emporium about six weeks ago to the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Hauber. He gradually failed.

John was a good boy, thoughtful energetic, economical and kind. We knew him well and feel that his spotless life and high-mindness guided him from dangerous ways. During his busy life he managed, by strict economy to save some money and pay his way during his illness, and when his Master called, he left directions to prepare his funeral arrangements, to purchase a lot in St. Mark's Cemetery, to erect markers on the graves of his departed parents, as well as his own. He showed that he was grateful to those kind sisters at Erie who cared for him in his youth by willng them $300.

The funeral services took place at St. Marks Catholic Church, Monday morning, High Mass being celebrated by Father Downey. The life of this young man was food for an eloquent sermon by Father Downey, who touchingly referred to the grand life of the deceased and pointed others to his object lesson.

Beautiful floral offerings from Supt. and Mrs. Topper, K. of C., and C. M. B. A., Erie; Employees of Erie Street Ry.

The followlng relatives and friends, from out of town, were in attendance at the funeral: Mr. Thos. McCarthy, (brother) Erie, Pa, Mr. and Mrs. (sister) A. F. Morgan, Jamestown, N. Y.; Mrs. Kate Dippold, Andrew Dippold, Geo. Hauber, St. Marys.

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ULLRICH.

Miss Belle Ullrich, died Sunday afternoon, at the Williamsport hospital, of peritonitis, aged 22 years, two months and 17 days. The remains were brought in Emporium, her former home, on the Buffalo Flyer, Monday afternoon and were taken to her sister's home, Mrs. Chas. P. Fisher, from which place the funeral took place on Wednesday afternoon, at 1 o'clock. Rev. C. W. Dickson, of Sinnamahoning, assisted by Rev. J. E. Calvin, of Emporium, conducted the service. A quartette composed of Miss Grace A. Lloyd, Mrs. John Kackenmeister, Mr. George Metzger, Jr., and Mr. Harry Cox, sang, "Safe in the Arms of Jesus," and "My Jesus as Thou Wilt."

Relatives and friends from a distance: Mr. and Mrs. A. Ullrich (parents,) Winifred and Margarett (sisters), Sinnamahoning, Pa.; Mr. John P. Ullrich, (brother) wife and son, Salamanca, N. Y.; Mrs. Clyde A. Porte, (sister), Kirksville, Mo.; Mr. S. S. Swarts, (uncle) Williamsport, Pa.; Miss Anna McCloskey, Mr. Lloyd McCloskey, Mr. Harry Lupold, Misses Mame Butler, Hazel Crosby, Pheobe DeShetler, Arminta Kephart, Olive McCracken, Beatrice Jordan, Theo. Pensirth, Sinnamahoning, Pa.

The floral afferings were many and beautiful.

Judge McDonald Improving.

Hon. John McDonald, of Driftwood, returned home from the Presbyterian hospital, Philadelphia, where he has been under treatment for seven weeks, suffering with an abscess on his left leg. His Honor visited in Emporium on Tuesday, transacting business in town, His many friends were pleased to meet him.

Hotel to Change.

Mr. Michael Murphy who has successfully conducted the Commercial Hotel at this place has rented the house and sold the furniture to a Mr. Becka, of Holmstead, Pa., possession to be given Aug. 5th. Mr. Murphy and family will continue to reside in Emporium their many friends will be glad to learn. They have always conducted a good respectable house.

Severe Storm.

The big electric storm last Saturday afternoon did considerable damage in this section. While the ball game between Johnsonburg and Emporium had started and the grand stand crowded, the excitement was noticeable, especially among the ladies, who became very nervous. Several buildings were slightly damaged in town among the number being the houses of Andrew Blinzler, Robt. B. Warner, H. L. Burns, occupied by Mr. Mulcahy, and other damages. The heavy rain damaged Jos. Kaye's new lawn quite severely It has rained almost incessantly ever since.

See the Indians, July 8.

The famous Cherokee Indian base ball club will play here on Monday, July 8. Two games daily, afternoon and night. Don't forget the date. They carry a canvas fence 1,200 feet long and ten feet high, also a portable grand stand, and travel in their own Pullman hotel car. The greatest achievement in base ball history is the night game. The following is from the Princeton Leader:

"At night the 50,000 candle power lights evidenced themselves and the Indians with their lights aflame entered the night game and then the Princetons ably demonstrated their skill and ability on the diamond by a victory of 6-3. The scene was fully up to the advertised display."

Consulting Specialist.

John A. Johnston took his son Lloyd, who severely injured one of his legs while coasting last winter, to a Buffalo specialist for treatment. The little man has suffered terribly for months and we hope may receive some help.

Not a Cancer.

For some weeks Mr. John E. Smith and his friends have been greatly exercised on account of a growth on his tongue having been pronounced of cancerous nature. Mr. Smith informs us that a specialist tells him it is not a cancer, but might develop into one if allowed to go without attention. This will be good news to his many friends.

Card of Thanks.

MR. EDITOR:—We wish to thank our friends and neighbors, both of Sinnamahoning and Emporium, for their kindness and sympathy, in the loss of our beloved daughter and sister, Belle. Also the quartette for the beautiful floral offerings.

MR. AND MRS. A. ULLRICH, AND FAMILY, MR. AND MRS. CHAS. P. FISHER.

June 26th, 1907.

The Emporium Theatorium.

Located on Broad street, in the store room formerly occupied by Geo. Gross, opened their amusement hall to a large audience, last Saturday evening. This Company, composed of Emporium men gave a very clean and respectable display of moving pictures and illustrated songs. An entire change of program every evening. Admission five cents. It is well worth the money and time to see it.

Emmanual Church.

Celebration of the Holy Communion next Sunday, June 30th, at 10:30 a. m. This will take the place of the mid-day celebration on the first Sunday in July.

Harold LaMont, six years of age, was drowned below the dam at Sizerville on Saturday evening. The funeral was held at Sizerville, Monday afternoon, the Rev. J. M. Robertson officiating.

Base ball at night is one of the novelties that the new season brings; the famous Cherokee Indians are the originators. The novelty of arrangement is attracting wide attention.—Chicago Athletic Journal and Base Ball News. The above attraction will be seen in Emporium, Monday, July 8, afternoon and night.

Visit the Theatorium on Broad St.—Moving pictures and illustrated songs. Open from 8 to 10:30. Admission, 5c.

New York Life's New President.

After a contest unparalled in its severity, the New York Life Insurance Company has been reorganized under its new Board of Trustees.

They represent the "administration," they were chosen by a majority of 138,000 and they undoubtedly stand for the policy and the man of overwhelming mass of policy holders desire. The first election has shown, as there was every probability it would show, that the agents who had persuaded men to insure retained their confidence after they were insured.

The new trustees have chosen as president Darwin P. Kingsley, a man who passed through all the fire of investigation unscathed. No charge was made against him. No dubious act was uncovered. He has held every post in the company, agent, field agent, superintendent of agencies, third vice-president, first vice-president and now president, succeeding Alexander E. Orr, who has held the place for a year and a half, with the avowed intention of retiring as soon as the company was reorganized.

This reorganization has now been effected. It has resulted in the choice of a man connected with the past management of the company, a son-in-law of John A. McCall, the former president; but in addition, a man of long experience, high character and enjoying the confidence of the business world. A graduate of the University of Vermont, he is a trustee of the institution, selected to deliver the address at the centennial, and enjoying the esteem of his fellow-alumni.

He stands for the best in the calling he represents; he brings to his work skill, knowledge and reputation and he comes to his post fully acquainted with its needs and duties. The investigations and exposures of the past, the heavy vote cast for a new board and the consciousness that the policy holders exercise this power to vote on a scale never before known, render it certain that the new administration will take up its work with a sense of responsibility, a determination to safeguard every right and a vigorous policy, such as will continue the growth and maintain the security of the society.—Philadelphia Press. The New York Life's representative in Cameron county is H. H. Mullin, Emporium. Drop him a postal to call on you.

The Black Bass Law.

Misinterpretation of the law in regard to the catching of black bass may cause trouble for careless fishermen.

A section of the law provides that it is illegal to catch black bass under nine inches in length in any waters "mentioned under the first section of this act." The first section of the act, however, refers only to lakes and bays, and the nine-inch limit therefore applies to those waters only. The minimum size for other streams is the same as last year—seven inches. One section of the new law that it will be well for fishermen to keep in mind is section eleven, which reads as follows:

"It shall be unlawful for any person to catch or kill more than ten black or yellow base in one day. Any person violating the provisions of this section shall, on conviction, be subject to a fine of ten dollars for each fish so captured and killed, over and above the amount therein named, or, in default of payment, be imprisoned in the county jail for a period of one day for each dollar of fine unpaid."

Furnish the Evidence.

MR. EDITOR:—

I am officially receiving communications similar to the following, but in every instance no name signed. If our citizens wish to aid in the punishment of violators of law they must furnish at least a clue to work on otherwise we are powerless to act:

"Why is it that the foreigners on Tannery Hill are allowed to sell beer at five cents a bottle, and whiskey without a license all day on Sunday to men and boys. You can go into their house and in it will find lots of men and boys brinking almost any Sunday. especially after pay day. See yourself some time and see how many "drunks" come down from tannery hill. An American and a cripple was made to cut it out. Now, why are not the foreigners made to cut it out. It is a shame on Emporium to have such places."

Now this party complained of resides in Shippen and it is not in my powder to act, but if the writer will furnish the names the State's attorney no doubt would act promptly.

FRANK MUNDY,
Chief of Police.

Lot for Sale.

A good building lot, 30x160 feet, located on West Allegany Avenue. Apply at PRESS office. 19-2t.

See the Indians play ball July 8th.

THE WEATHER.

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SATURDAY, Fair.

SUNDAY, Fair.

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REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

For State Treasurer,
JOHN O. SHEATZ, of Philadelphia.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY TICKET.

For County Treasurer,
CHAS. J. HOWARD, of Portage.

Contract Awarded.

Fred A. Bliss and Geo. Wright visited Castle Garden last Friday to confer with John M. English, chairman of the committee having in charge the erection of the Castle Garden church. Mr. Bliss was awarded the concrete contract and Mr. Wright will have charge of the superstructure. Geo. is a first class builder, having erected a number of substantial buildings in Emporium, the most prominent being the J. H. Day residence on Fifth street.

Close Call.

Two young men, stealing a ride Tuesday night in a car loaded with bridge iron met with a narrow escape. While shifting the car the heavy iron was bumped together. One of the men named Frank Keys of Westons Mills, was caught between the iron, his face and head being severely cut and bruised. One inch more would have crushed his head. Dr. Smith fixed him up and sent the chap home. Always ride on passenger trains, especially in Emporium yard.

HOTEL PORTER SHOT LANDLORD AND WIFE.

CLEARFIELD, June 25.—An attempted double murder and suicide to-night has thrown Clearfield into a spasm of excitement such as the town has not experienced in many moons.

The victims of the murderous assult were Daniel Leipoidt, proprietor of the Allegheny house, and his wife, and the would-be murdererand suicide is William Moore.

Moore had been employed about the hotel as a porter and this afternoon was discharged by Mr. Leipoidt. This seems to have so angered him as to bring about the shooting.

About 10:45 o'clock to-night Mr. and Mrs. Leipoidt and a Miss Hooper were sitting in the parlor of the Allegheny house when Moore entered and drawing a revolver, shot Mr. Leipoidt, the ball entering through the jaw and coming ont above the left ear.

He then turned the revolver on Mrs. Leipoidt but the shot only inflicted a slight scalp wound.

Evidently believing he had killed both he placed the revolver to his own temple and fired again, the ball entering above his left eye.

How Miss Hooper came to be spared will probably never be known for Moore will probably never recover consciousness. His injuries are regarded as fatal.

Mr. Liepoidt's wound is serious, but at midnight he was resting easily and has a good chance for recovery.

Mrs. Liepoitd's wound is only a slight scalp wound.

The revolver with which the shooting was done was a 32 caliber weapon.

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High-Speed Steel.

"Bigness in everything is become so characteristic of the material things that go to make up modern civilization that only undertakings of tremendous magnitude attract more than passing notice." Thus writes O. M. Becker in the Technical World Magazine. "Thirty story buildings, three mile dams, and Panama canals alone are able to hold the public eye long enough to be even a seven-days' wonder. Next week it is an old story and not at all wonderful. The great engineering feats which appeal so strongly to the eye undoubtedly have an important part in the remarkable industrial and commercial development now writing itself in such bold letters into the history of civilization. There are, however, other agencies at work in this development, some of them surely destined to bring about great changes in methods and efficiencies now regarded as superlative and one of these agencies, yet quite unknown to the general public, but nevertheless already exerting a powerful influence upon industrial efficiencies, has made a place for itself in the modern machine shop. The essential function of the machine shop is to fit accurately the various metal parts which are to be assembled into other machinery of one sort or another; and this is generally done by cutting or paring away any excess and unevenness of metal left in the casing or forging. This sort of cutting obviously is something very different from that seen in the wood shop, for example. Special tools and machines, the former strong and hard enough and the latter rigid and powerful enough, are necessary to remove the excess of material from steel, iron, or other resistent metals. Ordinary cutting edges, as they are commonly understood, would not do at all. An account of the processes by which high-speed steel has been perfected and the uses to which it is put, forms subject matter in an exceedingly interesting article of some length, amply illustrated.

This looks like anti-Osierism. Chief Chemist Wiley of the department of agriculture at Washington, addressing the graduating class of a scientific school at Cleveland, said jocularly that he belongs to a hundred-year club, any member of which who dies before completing the century will be expelled in disgrace. Speaking more seriously, he said: "The present generation is going to live much longer than the one which came before, because it knows more about the laws of diet, hygiene and surgery. It is a rank disgrace for any man to die, except of old age." And Dr. Wiley thinks that, in view of the good prospects of long life as a result of proper care and understanding of the rules of health, it will pay a man to spend a long time, even 20 years or more, in the schooling which shall fit him for his work. From which it is to be inferred that learning how to live is one of the essentials to long life.

Citizens of Spokane propose that adjacent portions of Idaho, Washington and Oregon be reassembled into a new state to be called Lincoln. Advocates of the plan maintain that this division is the natural one, with respect to the geographic formation, and also to the interests and occupations of the people. Strong opposition comes naturally from people in parts of the three states not included in the proposed new state. The idea is doubly interesting at present when the feeling for state lines is said to be dissolving all over the country; it indicates that the sense of the state unit is very strong, and that it is a matter of deep importance to a man whether he lives in Oregon or in "Lincoln."

Not many women would be able to make the record which Mrs. Frank Woodward of St. Charles, Mich., has established. Within a few years she has earned from the state $2,970 for shooting wolves. She and her husband live in a lumberman's shanty near Ontonagon, Mich., having moved there to benefit Dr. Woodward's health.

TARIFF IS NULLIFIED

DISTANCE NO LONGER AN ELEMENT OF PROTECTION.

American Railroads Systematically Favor Foreign Producers by Delivering Goods to Interior Points Cheaper Than Our Own Domestic Manufacturers Can Ship Them.

Washington, June 4.—An opportunity is presented, through the medium of a case pending before the interstate commerce commission, for another test of the question whether, under the interstate commerce law, exporters of commodities from foreign countries shall have an advantage over domestic producers on rates of transportation from seaboard points to the interior of the United States. Attention has been called to the fact that under a decision by the United States supreme court, made some years ago, such advantage has been given foreign producers. There are intimations that the interstate commerce commission, as at present constituted, not only disagrees with the former supreme court decision, but also entertains the belief that abundant opportunity is presented in the existing law for protecting the interests of American producers, or, if that shall be impossible, to have the question differently decided if it shall again be presented to that court of last resort.

A question is again before the commission whether products sent into the United States from a foreign country shall be entitled to a lower through transportation rate from the foreign port of shipment through to an inland point of destination in this country than is granted American producers or consumers for a much shorter distance of carriage wholly within the United States. This case is brought by manufacturers of plate glass in Pittsburg. They allege that in instances which they cite plate glass obtains a rate of transportation from Antwerp through to Cincinnati or Chicago, a distance of more than 5,000 miles, of 32 cents per 100 pounds, whereas a rate is charged from Pittsburg to Cincinnati, a distance of only 313 miles, of 26 cents per 100 pounds. A rate of 32 cents per 100 pounds is also made from Antwerp to points further into the interior of the United States, and also through Gulf ports to Chicago from Antwerp of 32 cents per 100 pounds, whereas the rate from Pittsburg to Chicago is 30 cents per 100 pounds.

The question raised in this case by the American producers is whether they may be discriminated against by such rates on foreign plate glass laid down in the American markets.

As an economic question, it was brought out in this hearing that the plate glass industry of the United States originated in 1869, whereas it had been in existence in Europe for more than 200 years. Thirty years ago American plate glass production amounted to about 500,600 square feet, whereas the importations of plate glass at that time aggregated 5,800,000 square feet annually. This gave an annual consumption at that time of a little more than 6,000,000 square feet of plate glass in the United States. At this time the consumption of plate glass amounts to more than 21,000,000 square feet annually. In 1876, the price per square foot of plate glass averaged about $2.50. Today the average is from 30 to 35 cents. The reduction in price has been in large part brought about by the development of the domestic plate glass industry. It was also shown that the cost of production of plate glass in this country is three-fold greater than it is in Europe.

Reciprocity with South America.

The sound principle in reciprocity is that we shall offer a free market for things we do not produce in return for a free market in lands which have products different from ours; and southern America supplies the necessary conditions for this.—Philadelphia North American.

Is not that precisely what we are now giving them? Can the North American name a single article which we do not ourselves produce that is not already on the free list? Our imports from all South America in 1906 amounted to $140,422,876. Of this sum coffee and crude rubber made up fully three-quarters. We levy no tariff on either coffee or crude rubber. What, then, is to be the basis of reciprocity dickers with the South American republics? There is, practically, no basis, unless it be the willingness of those countries to give our exports a preference in return for our free admission of their coffee and rubber. We could, of course, establish a basis by placing a tariff on those non-competitive products; but that would violate a cardinal principle of protection. Protection tariffs competitive articles only. It would seem that South America is provided with the necessary conditions for sound reciprocity, but is not disposed to supply those conditions.

Investigation by Workingmen.

British workingmen have always been assured by free trade orators that they were much better off than their German brethren, who were represented as being doomed by the protective tariff to live on black bread and horseflesh. Finally a deputation of workingmen was sent to investigate. They have returned and reported that under the tariff the German workmen are more prosperous and contented than ever before in the history of that country. The black bread is admitted, but it is brown instead of black, and it suits the German taste better than white bread.—Minneapolis Journal.

CHANCE TO SETTLE QUESTION.

Free Trade Platform This Year Would Shed Light on 1902.

After 12 years of unexampled prosperity under the Dingley law, which emphasizes in its schedules the policy of protection, a platform which should declare protection not only unlawful, but a snare, would "make mighty interesting reading," and give us a text for a stirring campaign.

And then the result might afford an answer to a question which has long engaged the politicians. What influence secured the Democratic triumph in 1892? Who killed Cock Robin that year? "I," said the free trader. "I did it with my little deliverance against protection," "Grover," said the ardent Clevelandite. "Mr. Cleveland did it with the force of his personality. He was the platform." "The Homestead strike," said the disgusted Republicans. "But for that Gen. Harrison would have had a walkover." And so the contention has continued to this day, and still continues.

Now, if it was the tariff plank in the Democratic platform which did the work then, why not ask history to repeat itself? Why not next year again challenge protection to another battle to the death? The protectionists would ask nothing better. They would rush to take up such a challenge, and then we should all enjoy the campaign hugely. The tariff would make a lovely issue, and especially in the light of what happened to the Democratic party after it carried the country in 1892 on a free trade platform.—Washington Star.

THE ORIGINAL BRAIN STORM.

Hard to Wreck.

Now that the railroad magnates have had time to sit down and think it over, they seem to agree that the country is to be congratulated upon the existence of conditions which prevented the recent flurry in Wall street from traveling far outside of the strictly speculative belt. Melville E. Ingalls, chairman of the board of directors of the Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis railroad, is quoted as saying on the twenty-second of March:

It is true, of course, that the country is going through a form of crisis which may turn out all right, or which may prove hurtful. But one thing should strike one forcibly; while stocks have shrunk billions you have heard of no failures or business catastrophes, have you? That would seem to indicate solidity and a substantial prosperity which will be hard to wreck.

Under normal conditions Mr. Ingalls is a strenuous friend of "tariff reform." But circumstances alter cases. We don't believe the gentleman was thinking much about ripping up the tariff during those two "Black Fridays" in which stock values went tumbling down at the rate of hundreds of millions a day. About that time, we venture to guess, Mr. Ingalls was mighty glad that tariff agitation and the dread of tariff changes did not occur in the tendency toward a destructive panic, and that tariff stability and business solidity produced a substantial prosperity that was hard to wreck.

Some Other Tariff.

We are told by the Boston Advertiser that the Republican party in Massachusetts is "led by Republicans who are as strong protectionists as any stand-pat leader at Washington, but who are not so possessed of a fetish that they must consider it politically as a crime to alter a tariff which has outlived its best period of usefulness."

What tariff is it that "has outlived its best period of usefulness?" If we thought that the Advertiser could by any possibility mean the Dingley tariff, which has proved and is still proving itself to be by far the greatest prosperity producer among all the tariffs known to history, we should greatly doubt that sort of stand-patism. It must be that the Advertiser means some other tariff.

Well Said.

"Everyone who favors reciprocity or the lowering of any particular duty is headed in the direction which leads to free trade."

That is the truth. It was not a protectionist who said it, though every well grounded protectionist knows it to be true. It was said by Harvey N. Shepard, who presided at the annual dinner of the American Free Trade league in Boston on the 30th of last month. Boston was the best possible place to say it in. In no part of the country are there so many persons who, without knowing it, are headed in the direction of free trade. Thanks Mr. Shepard, for saying the right thing at the right time and in the right place.

VERY UNFAIR METHODS

ARE ALLEGED TO BE USED BY COMBINE OF RAILROADS AND A STEAMSHIP LINE.

The Inter-State Commerce Commission Will Investigate a Complaint Made by Philadelphians.

Washington, D. C.—The interstate commerce commission has decided to institute an investigation into the affairs of the Hamburg-American Packet Co., which is charged by Peter Wright & Sons, general agents at Philadelphia of the Cosmopolitan Shipping Co. and the Cosmopolitan lines, with pooling and maintaining monopolies in restraint of trade. The inquiry is expected to be one of the most stupendous ever undertaken and of a character different from any that has ever before engaged the attention of the commission.

The inquiry will have to deal with an alleged combination between railroads in the United States and the German shipping concern and therefore interests every American producer, manufacturer or shipper aspiring to introduce his goods to foreign consumers.

According to the complaint on which action was taken by the commission the Hamburg-American Packet Co. has built up a complete monopoly of the eastbound traffic originating in Chicago, St. Louis, Kansas City, Omaha, Minneapolis, Duluth, Cleveland and other manufacturing centers of the United States intended for places on the continent of Europe. The complaint reviews what it claims to be unfair methods in stifling competition.

JUSTICE GODDARD TESTIFIES.

A Colorado Jurist Corroborates Some of Orchard's Evidence in the Haywood Trial.

Boise, Idaho. — The state on Wednesday made dramatic production and proof of the Goddard bomb and besides offering further corroboration of the testimony of Harry Orchard against William D. Haywood, secured a ruling under which a number of the denunciatory articles published in the Miners' Magazine, official organ of the Western Federation of Miners, will be admitted in evidence.

To Justice Luther M. Goddard himself fell the task of telling the story of the finding and preservation of the bomb with which Orchard tried to kill him. His testimony was minutely circumstantial.

The Colorado jurist testified that the first information that he received about the bomb came to him from Orchard's confession, which was shown to him at Denver February 13, 1906, by Detective McParland. He at once returned to his home and in his gate discovered the screw eye which Orchard said he placed there. It was rusted by ten months' exposure. The witness said he examined the ground outside the gate where Orchard said he placed the bomb and found a slight depression with the soil packed around it. The bomb was dug up the next day by Gen. Bulkeley Wells, who used a pocket knife to cut the soil away and raise the pine box containing the bomb. There was a small phial on top of the box and attached to the rubber cork of the phial was a piece of rusted wire.

The bomb and its attachment were taken to the office of the Pinkerton detective agency and sealed in wrappers and envelopes that were signed by half a dozen witnesses, including Justice Goddard, and after that they were placed in a vault to the door of which seals, including that of a notary public, were attached.

ENORMOUS GRAFT.

Further Revelations as to Overcharges for Furnishing Pennsylvania's New Capitol.

Harrisburg, Pa.—Charles D. Montague, a metallic furniture expert, of New York, testified before the capitol investigation commission Wednesday that the state had not only been grossly overcharged for the metallic furniture supplied by the Pennsylvania Construction Co. under its $2,000,000 contract with the board of grounds and buildings, but that he had bored into the "burglar proof vault" in the state treasury in four hours with an ordinary eight-inch breast drill.

Mr. Montague said that the four safes in the capitol for which this concern was paid $66,000 by the state were worth only $27,000 and that there was no chrome steel or steel rails in the vault, only ordinary steel which any one could bore into with ease. As to the metallic furniture the expert said the state was charged excessive prices.

He said certain bills were two and three times more than a fair trade list price without the customary discount. He said the sub-basement contained one case that cost the state $1,182. The list price was $287, subject to discount. As to the first floor metallic furniture it cost $229,231 and was worth $132,103. On the entersol floor the cases were billed at $154,688 and were worth $54,470. These estimates were based on standard trade price lists.

The expert said that the bronze on the first floor was worth $26,000. The state paid $566,000.

Willson Nominated for Governor.

Louisville, Ky. — Hon. Augustus E. Willson, of Louisville, was last night nominated by acclamation as republican candidate for governor of Kentucky. The platform was adopted without a voice raised against it.

100 Lives Lost in a Flood.

Athens, Greece.—More than a hundred persons were drowned in the flood caused by the overflowing of the Lithos river, which inundated the town of Trikkala, in Thessaly, Tuesday.

It Is Never Imposed.

"Pa."

"What is it, my son?"

"When a trust is found guilty of violating the law there is always a maximum and a minimum fine that may be imposed, isn't there?"

"Yes. The maximum fine is the most that the offending trust may be compelled to pay and the minimum is the least that it may get off with."

"Why do they take the trouble to have a maximum, pa?"—Chicago Record-Herald.

Ever Hopeful.

"Aren't you afraid the government will eventually assume ownership of the railways?"

"Supposing it does," rejoined Dr. Dustin Stax. "It'll have to employ us experienced men at enormous salaries to keep them from being run at a loss. The difference will merely be that in giving us money the public will contribute as taxpayers instead of as passengers.—Washington Star.

Neckromancy.

Noiselessly the prudent mamma of the large family of daughters opened the parlor door and looked in.

Softly she withdrew.

"The young man who can make two heads seem to grow where only one grew before," she said to herself, "is a benefactor to the human race, and deserves to be encouraged."—Chicago Tribune.

A Short Tale.

"Their tale of love was brief but comprehensive."

"What was it?"

"First he went to court and sued for her love."

"What then?"

"She went to court and sued for damages."—Baltimore American.

NOT THE LOVABLE KIND.

Mamma—Don't you know the Bible says we should love our neighbors?

Lillie—I know, ma, but this is an awful neighborhood.—Chicago Journal

Happiness.

How happiness goes flaunting by,
As gaily as a butterfly;
And when we catch the lovely thing,
Alas! it has a broken wing!
—Life.

A Benefit.

"You think the discovery of a route to the north pole will be of great benefit to the human race?"

"I do," answered the scientist. "If it does nothing more it may satisfy curiosity so as to prevent others from risking their lives on the journey."—Washington Star.

Only One Way.

"I see there is a movement on foot to stop the use of profanity over telephones."

"But think how it will demoralize business. We can't get along without them."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

Then He Got Busy.

"Why do you look at me like that, you great, awkward bear?"

"Oh, Miss Pimmie, I—I protest I'm not a—a bear."

"Well, why aren't you?"—Chicago Tribune.

A Slippery Subject.

First Reporter—Did you ever fall down on an assignment?

Second Reporter—Sure; one day when I was sent to write a story about the icy sidewalks.—N. Y. Press.

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BE READY FOR OPPORTUNITY

Let the Public Know What You Have to Sell—Never Stop Pushing—A Hint for the Clerks.

Pluck.

How often you hear one business man say of another who has been successful: "Ain't he lucky?" Luck has nothing to do with anyone's success. It is pluck.

Pluck and enthusiasm are the powers which make the winner. With these two qualities, which are invariably found together, a man will succeed.

Business men who have achieved greatness in their line are those who possess an abundance of enthusiasm.

A possession that is better than anything else to a man is that determination of character known as pluck, and an enthusiastic confidence that he will succeed.

To persevere against great odds, and to make a victorious fight in the face of almost impossibilities, it requires pluck which is not governed by impulse.

To cultivate pluck one must encourage steadfastness of purpose. When a thing is begun it should be finished.

The trouble with most of us is not so much that we have a hard row to hoe but that we dislike hoeing.

Opportunity knocks once—and often a dozen times—at every door, but you have no kick against the fates if Opportunity knocks, finds you lost in a pipe dream and turns away never to return.

Bacon said: "The mold of a man's fortune is in his own hands."

All men cannot be captains of industry. All men cannot succeed phenomenally. All men, it seems, cannot succeed even moderately, but all men can make an effort to succeed.

We must not stop striving to reach a higher and better place until we are willing to sink to the bottom. If we simply expect to float and not try to swim we might just as well quit. It would be well for us to keep as a motto before us: "Perseverance and pluck conquer all things," for it bears close relationship to the subject chosen. If we regarded the little opportunities in life more seriously and made the most use of them we would be better able to master the golden opportunities.

Let It Be Known.

You may know that you have the best assorted stock in town, but the public will not know it unless you tell them about it; they are not clairvoyants. First use the newspapers liberally, then circulars, personal letters, talk to them when you can catch them in your store, at their homes—anywhere. The first and last thing to bear in mind about advertising is that it is as wide as human nature in its appeal.

Advertising is the mighty engine of success, and without it the business world would be minus its dynamo of energy.

Push All the Time.

If it pays to push when business is good, it pays to push when business is bad.

If it pays to push when business is bad, it pays to push when business is good.

If it pays to push at all, it pays to push all the time.

Therefore, don't let it die.

When everything is coming your way, push to make it come the faster.

When everything is going the other way, push to make it come back to you.

Push all the time and you'll feel the better for it, and make more money.

It takes hard thinking and hard work to increase business in the face of strong competition. But the business is there, and somebody will get it—you or your neighbor, or perhaps your competitor in the next town. Which shall it be?

Help your employes increase your business.

Be Business Throughout.

A joke is a joke, but business is no joke, and it is mighty hard to make the two mix.

A man once said: "It pays to advertise most businesses, but mine is different." The sheriff sold him out, and now he works for his successor, who does advertise.

Success.

The secret of most successes lies in the man rather than in the method.

Making people want the goods is, after all, about as near the secret of it as there comes to being any secret. Make the public want what you have to sell and the sale is half made.

Epitaph of a failure: "He worked overtime dodging work."

That Man with the Overalls.

When the man with the overalls comes into your store don't turn around and take your time to wait on him. Don't snub the man with the overalls in order to wait upon some elite of your town—that is, if the overall man came into your store first. Your overall man usually stands by the home town. He works in the shops, in the stock yards, in the factories and in the mills. His dollar is just as good as the dollar given to you by the man who tries to put on all kinds of airs in your town. The old American eagle on the silver dollar given to you by the man attired in overalls counts for just as much and screams just as hard as the bird on the dollar turned over by the man who belongs to the "upper tens." Besides, if the man in the overalls wants credit until Saturday night or until the first of the month, you'll stand to win to get the cash from him when he says he'll pay you. Don't give him the marble heart. You want his trade. He needs dry goods and groceries, and he will spend his money with you if you treat him right.

Turn to and bury the mail-order house monopoly under the sod of local prosperity. You can do it by spending your money with the local merchants. If you give them an opportunity they will treat you fairly, and they, like yourself, represent the interests of the home town.

Business Sickness a Common Complaint.

Stuck in a rut, are you? Same old rut, boss doesn't appreciate your efforts. Interest in your business wearing thin at the edges? Eh? Thought so! Well, what are you waiting for?

You know nothing really comes to the fellow who waits, except the "push." Some people never "get there" unless they're pushed.

If you're sick of your job you're doing yourself and your boss a bad turn by hanging on. Start looking around for another job—that'll keep your mind liquid. Wonderful what a pick-me-up job-hunting is to some people. If you get "turned down" two or three times you'll begin to think what small potatoes you really are after all, and that's good tonic for business sickness—the first sign of recovery, in fact.

Your present job will, maybe, acquire a fresh interest to you, and you'll come at it again like a two-year-old.

If you were born with a square chin and the normal amount of gray matter you'll probably want to get ahead of the procession. There is only one sure way, and that is "know how." A fellow with "know how" never loses interest in his job. He wouldn't get the "know how" if he did.

It's marvelous how interesting business is when you get the proper spirit. Some men obtain more genuine pleasure from business than they do from play. If you want to enjoy business—study it—soak yourself in it, and imagine it's play.

You won't have to imagine long, and when you've got the spirit of the game you couldn't be kept out of it with a pickax.

Fashion Is Ever Changing.

Mrs. Shopper—Is that hat that was $25 this morning the same price still?

Milliner—Certainly! Why not?

Mrs. Shopper—Well, it's not such a new style as it was then.—Judge.

SEVEN KILLED

By an Explosion of Gas in a Coal Mine.

AT PRICEBURG, PA.

All of the Victims Were Frightfully Burned, the Clothing Being Burned Off Most of Them.

Scranton, Pa.—Seven men were killed outright and two others seriously injured in two explosions of mine gas in the Johnson No. 1 mine, at Priceburg, Tuesday. The first explosion, which occurred about 3 p. m., was caused by the carelessness of a doortender who, by leaving a door open, allowed gas to accumulate in the workings. One man was injured as a result of this explosion. The second explosion, which resulted in the death of seven men and the injury of another, occurred about 5 o'clock and resulted from the ignition of the deadly firedamp which accumulated after the first explosion.

Of the eight men who were working in the main gangway at the time of the second explosion, seven were killed instantly.

A runner who was near the foot of the shaft when the second explosion occurred quickly gave the alarm and a rescue party hurried to the scene of the explosion.

All the victims were frightfully burned, the clothing being burned off most of them.

News of the explosion spread rapidly through the village of Priceburg, a mining hamlet just north of Scranton, and hundreds of wives, children and other relatives of those who are employed in the mine hurried to the breaker. So badly disfigured were the remains of those who were killed, that identification at the time was impossible and the wildest excitement prevailed.

A DRAMATIC SCENE IN COURT.

Man Convicted of Kidnaping Refused to Testify Against His Accomplice When Latter Made Mystic Sign of Black Hand.

New York. — Ignazio De Leonardo and Pietro Pampinellia were on Tuesday convicted of kidnaping and employing "Black Hand" methods of extortion. De Leonardo was first found guilty and at once offered to turn state's evidence in the hope that through confession he might secure a lighter punishment. His offer was accepted. At the moment he took the stand Pampinellia placed his hand on his temples and brought them down slowly until they met at the throat. The effect on De Leonardo was startling. The witness turned deathly pale. Then he managed to say:

"I am sick. I cannot testify."

"Why?" demanded Judge O'Sullivan.

With an effort De Leonardo replied: "Pampinellia has just given me the sign of death. It is the Black Hand. I will not testify."

The witness was removed from the room and given a chance to recover himself. Later he was returned to the stand, only to collapse when his eyes met those of his partner in crime. Finally he positively refused to give evidence.

Pampinellia was, however, convicted, as De Leonardo had been, chiefly on the testimony of 7-year-old Salvator Siata, who was stolen from his home last winter and held a prisoner in a house on Staten Island, while "Black Hand" letters demanding from his father, a prosperous barber, a ransom of $10,000. The boy's death was threatened. The youth was eventually released, though the father denied that he had settled with abductors

A Close Call.

Bridgeport, Conn.—C. G. Herreshoff, nephew of the noted yacht designer, Nat C. Herreshoff, with his engineer, Edward J. Sherman, were rescued from drowning in Long Island sound Tuesday off the Bridgeport lighthouse, after the power boat Den, said to have been the fastest craft of its kind on the coast, had been wrecked and sunk. The men managed by clinging to a cushion to keep afloat until Lighthouse Keeper Wright came to their assistance. The Den was running about 28 miles an hour and suddenly, as it mounted the crest of a wave, broke amidships.

Offers to Let China Down Easily.

Washington, D. C.—The state department confirms the statement of the Chinese minister that it is the intention of the president to release China from the payment of all but the actual expenses to which the United States was put by the Boxer uprising of 1900, provided that congress shall give its consent. The fact that the indemnity is being collected under the terms of a treaty makes it impossible for the executive to act alone in this matter.

Trapeze Performer Badly Hurt.

Des Moines, Ia. — Through the failure of her mate's teeth to hold in a flying trapeze act in Robinson's circus Tuesday, Effie Minerva was dashed to the ring from near the top of the tent. It is feared that her injuries are fatal.

Found Five More Corpses.

NewPort News, Va.—The waters of Hampton Roads on Tuesday gave up the bodies of five more victims of the Minnesota's launch disaster. Two dead midshipmen and three blue jackets were found.

FOR HIGHER WAGES.

TELEGRAPH OPERATORS AT SAN FRANCISCO AND OAKLAND DECLARE A STRIKE.

About 250 Employes of the Western Union and Postal Companies Cease Work.

San Francisco, Cal.—Strike ridden San Francisco had another strike added to the list Friday afternoon when the 250 telegraph operators employed in Oakland and San Francisco by the Western Union and Postal telegraph companies left the keys at 3:30 o'clock and walked out of the offices. Three short blows on a police whistle gave the signal and the operators rose from the tables, put on their coats and quit work.

The Postal and the Western Union main San Francisco offices are both in the Ferry building. Since the fire of 1906 the main relay office of the Western Union has been at West Oakland, where about 150 men and women are employed. In the San Francisco office about 20 operators are employed, and at branch offices about 20 more. The Postal company has 60 operators in its main San Francisco office. The operators in San Francisco and Oakland were dissatisfied with the letter written by President Clowry, of the Western Union, to Labor Commissioner Neill and insisted that their demands for a 25 per cent. increase in wages be granted.

President Small, of the Commercial Telegraphers' union, arrived Thursday and after considering the situation ordered the strike unless the increase was granted. Both the Western Union and the Postal officers declined to grant the 25 per cent. increase or to consult with the union.

BUSINESS BROADENS.

Trade Responds to the Livening Influence of Warmer Weather—Confidence Grows with the Crops.

New York.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says:

Weather conditions throughout the country are reported as seasonable for the first time in several months and the response is immediate in all branches of business, while crop prospects have improved greatly, although there still remains much lost ground to be regained. With scarcely an exception the week's news is encouraging, especially from the west. Confidence grows with the crops, and orders come forward to the leading centers for large fall and winter shipments of all classes of merchandise.

Most manufacturers are fully occupied on old contracts and there is little prospect of much idle machinery in the near future except on account of the customary midsummer repairs and inventories.

Less new business is received by makers of pig iron, partly because consumers have provided for requirements well into the future and in part on account of the large contracts already placed with furnaces which prevent any pressure to obtain orders.

DEATHS IN A STORM.

Two Residents of Michigan are Killed by Lightning—Others Are Struck and Survive.

Detroit, Mich.—Specials to the Free Press tell of a severe electrical storm which passed over the lower peninsula of Michigan late Friday. At Kalamazoo, Frank Stirner was struck by lightning while trimming a spruce tree. One of his shoes was torn off and he was badly burned about the body. The shock left him clinging to the branches of the tree bereft of reason. Neighbors attracted by his cries were unable to reach him or make him understand their directions to climb down to the ground and a fire truck was called to bring the man down by a ladder. He was taken to a hospital, where it is hoped the effects of the shock will pass away in a few days.

George Hawley, a farmer, was struck by lightning and killed while plowing in a cornfield near Kalamazoo and Mrs. Stephen Curtis was struck by lightning and killed while talking to her husband in their kitchen at Onaway, Cheboygan county. Mr. Curtis was stunned, but not seriously hurt.

THE STATE RESTS.

Judge Wood Overrules a Motion to Acquit W. D. Haywood of Murder.

Boise, Idaho.—When the state on Friday closed its case against William D. Haywood, charged with the murder of Frank Steunenberg, the defense made an unsuccessful attempt to have the court direct the jury to acquit the prisoner on the ground that the state had not proved its charge.

Judge Wood's ruling, which requires the defense to meet with evidence the case that the state has presented, was made at the close of court, and it was then arranged that Haywood's counsel should make their opening statement and present their first testimony on Monday.

The prosecution introduced a few witnesses Friday to corroborate previous evidence and then formally rested its case.

Woman Killed in an Accident.

Buffalo, N. Y. — Mrs. George Barker was thrown from her buggy Friday as she was driving near Batavia and her neck was broken. Her horse shied at an automobile driven by George E. Titman, a Philadelphia broker. Mrs. Barker's carriage was wrecked.

Two Cent Fare in Kansas.

Topeka, Kan.—The state board of railroad commissioners has decided to issue an order putting a flat two cent passenger fare into effect.

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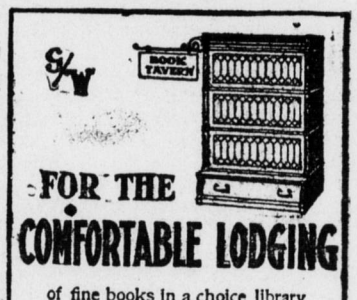

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Governor Stuart's Pension Veto.

Governor Stuart has manfully faced what the legislature timidly shirked. It was not a pleasant duty for him to veto the pension bill, but it was a duty none the less and he bravely accepted it. Under the shield of their collective action the members of the legislature evaded their individual obligation and threw the burden on the governor, but he did not hesitate to meet his personal responsibility. Some of the soldiers may be disappointed, but we believe that all of them will respect and honor Governor Stuart for obeying his sense of right, says the Philadelphia Press.

The bill was crude, raw and impossible. The legislature would not have passed it in its ill-considered form if it had not expected the governor to veto it. It voted the pensions without voting the money to pay them. It provided for the expenditure without providing the revenues to meet it. The bill could not have been allowed to become a law without striking remorselessly at the charities, the hospitals and the asylums which are dependent on the state. We do not believe that the gallant soldiers who showed their heroism on the field would be content to accept this additional reward, well deserved as it may be at the expense of the sick, the injured, the indigent, the insane and the dying, who are the rightful care of the commonwealth.

It had been said that the aggregate expenditure of more than $5,000,000 involved till the next appropriation could be reduced to $2,000,000 But this was impossible. This specific monthly pensions would become a charge from the moment the law become effective, and, whether the mony available or not, the obligation would stand at its full face value, aud there could be no escape. The governor thus had only the choice between two alternatives—either to veto this bill or to cut off millions from the educational and charitable institutions of the state. It was not an agreeable choice to make, but who that respects the soldiers will doubt that they will say he made the right decision?

The veterans who fought to save the union deserve generous recognition. The nation which they preserved has been liberal in its provision. In addition Pennsylvania at least has done much—more, perhaps, than any other state—to show her gratitude. Up to this year she has spent $10,709,974.14 for the Soldiers' Orphans' schools and $1,470,846 for the Soldiers' and Sailors' home—an aggregate of $12,180,820.14, and this expenditure goes right on in unabated volume more than forty years after the close of the war.

It is not claimed that this provision discharges the debt of honor which is due to the nation's defenders. But if a state pension is to be paid it should be arranged, not in a haphazard way which makes it impracticable, but with full consideration so that it will not nullify the other obligations of the state.

There is no case of indigestion, no matter how irritable or obstinate that will not be speedily relieved by the use of Kodol. The main factor in curing the stomach of any disorder is rest, and the only way to get rest is to actually digest the food for the stomach itself. Kodol will do it. It is a scientific preparation of vegetable acids containig the very same juices found in a healthy stomach. It conforms with the Pure Food and Drugs Law. Sold by R. C. Dodson.

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Letter From West Virginia.

JUDYTON, W. VA., June 22, 1907.

EDITOR CAMERON COUNTY PRESS, EMPORIUM, PA.

DEAR SIR:

Thinking that a letter with a brief description of the south, or at least this section of it, would be appreciated by yourself and possibly your readers I will try to sketch for you, in a general way, the characteristics, industries and advantages of this, one of the finest timbered states in the sunny south.

To one who has seen the immense forests of the north melt away before the axe of the pioneer and woodsman, and manufactured lumber floated in countless thousands to the south and has followed the tide of northern capital now flowing in this country, it is interesting to see the same men who have made fortunes in the lumbering busines in the north now increasing those same fortunes by making lumber to ship back.

This is a natural grazing country and to the great majority of the farmers of this section was a nuisance. As the timber was removed blue grass followed naturally without cultivation and many a splendid tract of pine and spruce has been cut or girdled to make additional grazing grounds. Captialists of far seeing judgment have taken advantage of this fact and have bought small bodies of timber and combined them into larger tracks to induce men with money to build mills and railroads and rid the country of this encumbrance of useless timber, and incidentally reaping rich rewards in commissions.

The writer knows of one body of timber that has been bought and sold several times by speculators, the first cost of which five years ago was one dollar an acre and farmers glad to get that much, and the last sale to the company now operating it was in the neighborhood of one hundred dollars per acre

The timber consists mostly, of spruce, hemlock and pine but there are large tracks of poplar, basswood and hickory.

Spruce and hemlock will cut from fifty to one hundred thousand to the acre, and hardwood from twelve to twenty-five thousand per acre.

In traveling from Ronceverte, W. Va., to the head waters of the Greenbrie river, a distance of one hundred miles, the traveller may count somewhere about twenty-five mills, the largest of which is the property of the West Virginia Spruce Lumber Co., located at Cass, in Pocahontas County. Their timber lays on Cheat Mountain and will keep them busy the next twenty-five years with a mill of two hundred and fifty thousand capacity in twenty-four hours.

Myself and son-in-aw, Mr. Brink, have been operating a mill successfully for little more than a year. We are now located twelve miles north of Ranceverte, on the Greenbrier division of the C. & O. R. R., in Greenbrier County, W. Va. Our timber being nearly all hardwood.

We expect and hope that one of us will be a caller at your office some time in the near future.

We have among our employees several men well known in Cameron county. Mr. J. C. Skillman, is our woods superintendent, and H. E. Geswender our scaler. Also many others from that vicinity are working in various capacities in this locality.

And in what ever direction one may travel it is the same—a mill at every stop and stations from three to five miles apart.

The writer of course only speaks of the section where he has lived for two years, comprising Pocahontas, Greenbrier and Randolph counties, but it is safe to presume that the same conditions exist throughout the state.

Any sketch of this kind would be incomplete without some reference to the people and surroundings. They are general, more inclined to be indolent than their northern brother, and perhaps pay more attention to the Bible injunction to "take no thought for the morrow." Southern hospitality has been the theme of song and story, and to my knowledge has never been exaggerated. They expect, as a matter of course, that the chance passer by will join them if it be any where near meal time and even in backwoods homes there would be no difficulty in satisfying the wants of an epicure. Payment for a chance meal is not expected and and offer to pay would be an affront to any southern gentleman.

Their great lack is schools and bright children grow up without even the ability to read and write who are otherwise cultured and chivalrous. It is almost an unheard of thing for a man to be seen in the garden or taking care of the dairy, the women always doing the milking, and the cows here would be as much surprised and frightened at a man's approach as a well bred northern cow would be at the flutter of a woman's apron.

The climate here is fine and the seasons are governedmore by altitude than latitude.

The people are healthy, and the only deaths are the doctors, and they die of starvation, unless they devote the most of their time to farming, in which case they are all right, for the soil is very fertile and productive, all vegetation being hardy and luxuriant. In one case where we drove posts and built a wire fence around our garden we were compelled inside of two weeks to put additional wires around the bottom to keep out the neighboring cattle, and will so on have to repeat the dose.

Some of these stories may be a little large but the writer very carelessly dropped this letter on the ground. He tried to get all the soil off lest there be postage due when it reached its destination, which would be the case unless there was a like amount rubbed on the stamp. With best wishes I am

Yours very truly,

J. E. RHODES.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

[From our Regular Correspondent.]

Washington, June 22nd, 1907.

It appears that the United States has for a long time been armed for a tariff war without any additional legislation. But this fact was only recently brought to light by digging up an old statute that had never been enforced. This law has been brought into play already in the tariff dispute with France, and it is likely to settle the question without much further discussion. It will be available for use with any other country that chooses to take tariff issue with us, and may thus be rated as a valuable discovery.

It is an old law under the meat inspection act of 1890, and provides that the President in case any product of the United States is discriminated against by a foreign power may select such preducts of said foreign power as seem desirable and prohibit their importation is affective from the time of the President's proclamation, and be modify, extended or wholly withdraw such proclamation at any time he sees fit. This is arming the President with a weapon of retaliation that it would be hard to equal. The United States is so nearly self-supporting and besides has so many quarters of the world to draw on for all sorts of supplies, that we would feel the deprivation of such a law very little. But it would enable this couutry to strike any other nation in its tenderest trade spot. We could prohibit the importation of French silks of wines to this country and while we would suffer for neither wine nor silk, France would lose a market that she could not possibly afford to part with. We could cut off the importation of any or all Germen manufact ures without feeling it to any extent, but Germany could not afford to risk her market in the United States. It is a very sweeping law, and one that fortunately we have such a law will go far toward helping us settle any foreign commercial dispute that arises in the future.

Rather to the surprise of the government, the bids for the new $10,000,000 battle ships, so called, were far below expectation of the Department. There are to be two of these monsters, and they are to be duplicates in many respects of the famous British Dreadnaught class. They are to be more powerfully armed and it is likely in view of the experience of the Dreadnaught with turbine engines, that they will not attempt this new departure in marine construction.

There were a multitude of bids submitted, no less than seven combinations being put in by one firm. There were bids following the Navy Department's plans, and there were bids that followed the original plan as to the hulls and differed as to the engines. Others followed the plans as to the engines and differed as the hulls. Perh aps the most attractive of the combination plans was one for cruising engines of the reciprocating type that are economical of coal at low speed and with auxilliary turbines that could be called into play in emergencies when speed was everything and economy nothing.

The lowest bid was from the Newport News Ship Building Company for $3,987,000, and the next lowest was from the Fore River Company for $4,480,000. The limit of cost was to have been $6,000,000 for the ship without guns or ornament and $4,000,000 for these two items. But as it now apears, the ships will cost much less.

The President has taken a hand in the salary question that has been agitating the government clerks in Washington and elswhere for some time. It is reported that he has worked out a plan whereby there can be an increase of pay based on merit, and not a flat increase such as has been looked for heretofore.

How's This.

We offer One Huudred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price, 75c per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

C. B. Howard & Co., have the only large stock of shingles in the county at the present time. RED CEDAR from the Pacific Coast and WHITE CEDAR rom Wisconsin.

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PATENT COLT. In Oxfords for Men, Ladies and Children. To see them is to buy them. You do yourself an injustice when you do not look at this beautiful line before purchasing. We also carry a complete line of Men's Working Shoes. In fact anything in the shoe line.

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The best bargain of the year,
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Register's Notice.

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, COUNTY OF CAMERON, } SS:

NOTICE is hereby given that George J. LaBar, guardian of Harry E. Barr, Carrel L. Barr and William L. Barr, minor children of Alice Belle Barr, deceased, late of Shippen township, Cameron county, Pa., has filed his first and final account, and the same will be presented at next term of court for confirmation.

WM. J. LEAVITT, Register.

Register's Office, Emporium, Pa., June 4th, 1907. } 16-4t.

COURT PROCLAMATION.—WHEREAS:—The Hon. HARRY A. HALL, President Judge and the Hons. JOHN MCDONALD and GEO. J. LABAR, Associate Judges of Courts of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Orphans' Court and Court of Common Pleas for the county of Cameron have issued their precept bearing date the 6th day of May, A. D., 1907, and to me directed for holding Court of Oyer and Terminer, General Jail Delivery, Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Orphans' Court, and Court of Common Pleas in the Borough of Emporium, Pa., on Monday, the 1st day of July, 1907, at 10 o'clock, a. m. and to continue one week.

Notice is hereby given to the Coroners, Justices of the Peace and Constables within the county, that they be then and there in their proper persons, at 10 o'clock, a. m., of said day, with their rolls, records, inquisitions, examinations, and other rememberances, to do those things which to their offices appertain to be done. And those who are bound by their recognizance to prosecute against them as will be just.

Dated at Emporium, Pa., June 8th, 1907, and in the 131st year of the Independence of the United States of America.

J. D. SWOPE, Sheriff.

Executor's Notice.

Estate of JOHN ADAMS, late of the Township of Shippen, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that letters testamentary upon the estate of the said decedent have been granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay to

DELMONT H. ADAMS, Executor.
Emporium, Pa.
Or to his Attorneys GREEN & FELT. 15-6.

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W. W. ATTERBURY, General Manager.
GEO. W. BOYD, Gen'l Passenger Agt.

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Friday, July 5, 1907

Tickets good going on all regular trains on date of excursion to Philadelphia and connecting trains to seashore points.

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allowed on going trip if ticket is deposited with Station Ticket Agent, or on return trip, without deposit, within limit. Tickets good to return within fifteen days.

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Full information of Ticket Agents.

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No 555-18-2t.

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Bulletin.

LOW-RATE NIAGARA FALLS EXCURSIONS.

"It soothes, while it awes the mind," is the phrase used by the great American author, Nathaniel Hawthorne, writing of Niagara Falls, and its many phases of beauty and grandeur.

To those who have never viewed this magnificent spectacle, it will prove an enthralling revelation of majesty, beauty, and power that must remain forever a delightful memory.

Those who have once visited Niagara Falls and wandered amid its historic environments or viewed its varied scenes of wonder, delight to return to gather new impressions of the falling waters; the dashing rapids, aud the great gorge.

This year the Pennsylvania Railroad will run a series of attractive personally-conducted excursions to Niagara Falls on July 3 and 24, August 7 and 21, September 11 and 25, and October 9.

Tickets will be sold at very low rates for the round trip and will be valid for return passage within ten days.

A special train in charge of an experienced tourist agent, will be run on each date from Washington, via Harrisburg, Williamsport, and Emporium Junction, carrying parlor cars, dining car, and high-grade coaches.

Tickets will be good going on the special train and to return on any regular train within the time limit, permitting excursionists to stop off at Buffalo and view the beautiful metropolis of Lake Erie.

Full detailed information of this attractive series of summer outings may be had on application to Ticket Agents.

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Emporium, Pa., May 22, 1907.

NEMOPHILA, per sack	$1 35
Felt's Fancy, "	1 55
Pet Grove, "	1 55
Graham, "	70
Rye "	65
Buckwheat, "	
Patent Meal, "	50
Coarse Meal, per 100,	1 35
Chop Feed, "	1 35
Middlings,	1 35
Middlings, Fancy "	1 45
Bran,	1 30
Chicken Wheat,	1 70
Corn per bushel,	75
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PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Contributions invited. That which you would like to see in this department, let us know by postal card or letter, personally.

Miss Cora Barker is visiting friends at Williamsport, Pa.

Mrs. R. K. Mickey expects her mother from West Va., this p. m.

Dr. H. S. Falk has been on the sick list for a few days, but is able to be out again.

Contractor Cramer is rushing the work on the foundation for his new brick block.

Mrs. E. Mersereau Newton is visiting the family of Hon. W. E. Wheeler, Portville, N. Y.

Mrs. W. T. Seger and child of New York City are visiting relatives in town.—Smethport Miner.

W. A. Dalyrmple could not stay away any longer, at Watoga, W. Va., and came home on Saturday.

John R. Montgomery and wife have returned to Emporium from Virginia and we understand will locate here.

Miss Mary Welsh, daughter of Jas. J. Welsh, was a PRESS business caller on Friday last. A very pleasant young lady.

Mrs. Merrick Barker who has been in the hospital at Buffalo, N. Y., for several weeks has returned home greatly improved.

Fred Tompkins' new residence on West Sixth street will soon be completed and will be a neat home. W. H. Cramer is the contractor.

Mrs. Louisa McCarthy and grandson, Robt. of Renovo, are visiting in Emporium, guests of Michael McCarthy and family on Chestnut street.

Mrs. I. K. Hockley has returned from attending the Maccabee State Convention at Harrisburg. She was elected one of the delegates to the Supreme Tent.

Misses Madaline Severin, Frances Jacobs, Carolyne Kronenwetter and Messrs. Guy Leary, Clarence Hathorn, Fred Bayers, Harry Hamilton, Frank Fodge, all of St. Marys, were taking in sights in Emporium last Sunday.

Dr. S. S. Smith is contemplating an automobile tour through Ohio and Western Pennsylvania as soon as the weather settles. The trip will be made in his new auto, and the start will be made from Buffalo where the machine now is.

Mrs. Bisel and Mrs. Ida Cavey, (Mrs. Josiah Howard's mother and sister) were called to McEwensville to attend the funeral of Mrs. Bisel's sister to-day. Deceased was mother of Geo. Guinn, of Westeoro, Wis., but formerly of Emporium.

Jos. J. Lingle has returned from Camden, N. J., to visit in town for a few days before going to Westboro, Wis. His wife and daughter will visit for some time at different points for a few weeks before going west, stopping here again on their way west.

Miss Lora McQuay, daughter of Mr. R. R. McQuay, and a very excellent young lady, was one of twelve out of 40 to graduate from Clarion Normal last week. Miss McQuay was also one of the four to deliver orations. Mrs. McQuay had the honor and pleasure of being present at the Commencement.

Judge B. W. Green returned on Tuesday from his Mansfield farm.

Miss Mame Cummings came over from Port Allegany, Pa., on Tuesday to visit her parents and friends.

Mrs. A. A. McDonald who has been spending some months at Omaha, Neb., has arrived in Emporium.

Mrs. C. M. Bordner and daughter Dolores, of Shenandoah, Pa., are guests of Mrs. W. H. Howard and family.

Theo. Haberstock, after two weeks' illness, is again in the harness hustling his tailoring business.

J. P. Felt and wife, who have been spending several months on their Florida plantation returned home on Tuesday.

Mrs. Mary A. Whiteley and daughter Miss Grace, of Philadelphia, are guests of Burgess W. H. Howard and wife, on Sixth street—mother and sister of Mrs. Howard.

Master Jos. W. Felt and Miss Carrie C. Felt, of New York city, arrived in Emporium on Tuesday to visit their father J. Paul Felt, and wife, on Sixth street.

Miss Carrie Evans, who has been visiting her parents at this place, returned to Philadelphia yesterday, where she is connected with a trained nurse school.

Mrs. J. H. Cole, of Keokuk, Iowa, arrived in town this a, m., surprising her parents, R. Warner and family, as well as her daughters

A nice big boy made its appearance at the home of Mr. and Mrs Dyke, Pittsburg, last Thursday Grand-pa Taggart has returned from the happy home but left grand-ma there for a few days

H. M. Olmsted, of Ridgway, employed in the offices of the Elk Tanning Co., has been spending a few days in Emporium, enjoying a visit with his parents, at the same time angeling for trout. He is having a good time. The PRESS was favored with a call on Tuesday, socially and business. He reads the PRESS.

Piano for Sale.

A good second hand piano for sale very cheap. J. P. MCNARNEY.

Piles get quick and certain relief from Dr. Shoop's Magic Ointment. Please note it is made alone for Piles, and its action is positive and certain. Itching, painful, protruding or blind piles disappear like magic by its use. Large nickel-capped glass jars 50 cents. Sold by all dealers.

"This little pig went to market," doesn't amuse to-night.
Baby's not well; what's the matter, her dear little cheeks are so white;
Poor litle tummy is aching, naughty old pain go away.
Cascasweet mother must give her, then she'll be bright as the day.
It is sold here by R. C. Dodson.

The Magic No. 3.

Number three is a wonderful mascot for Geo' H. Parris, of Cedar Grove, Me., according to a letter which reads: "After suffering much with liver and kidney trouble, and becoming greatly discouraged by the failure to find relief, I tried Electric Bitters, and as a result I am a well man to-day. The first bottle relieved and three bottles completed the cure." Guaranteed best on earth for stomach, liver and kidney troubles, by all druggists, 50c.

C. B. Howard & Co., have received from the Pacific Coast what is perhaps the finest lot of RED CEDAR shingles that ever came to Cameron county.

Elephants.

People who really know nothing about it used to say that elephants never lie down to sleep. This is not true at all, says one writer. They have been known to stand for twelve months without lying down to sleep. This is regarded as want of confidence in their keepers and of longing to regain their liberty, for when they are perfectly at ease and reconciled to their fate they will lie down on their sides and sleep peacefully.

A Flippant Jailbird.

"This confinement," said the long faced prison visitor, "must distress you greatly."

"Yes," replied the facetious convict, "I find the prison bars grating."

"Ah, life to you is a failure!"

"Yes; it's nothing but a cell."

Judgment Reversed.

Schoolteacher—I am sorry to complain, but Johnnie Jones has been very impertinent. Principal—You must be more patient, Miss Howard. Teach the children to respect you as they do me, and we shall have fewer complaints. What did he say? Schoolteacher—He said you were the skinniest old maid alive!—Brooklyn Life.

The Disadvantages of Schools.

"Why have you taken your son out of school without asking permission?"

Father (a grocer) — But they were ruining him. I wish to bring him up to carry on my business, and they were teaching him that there are sixteen ounces in a pound.—Motto Pu Ridere.

A Nice Present.

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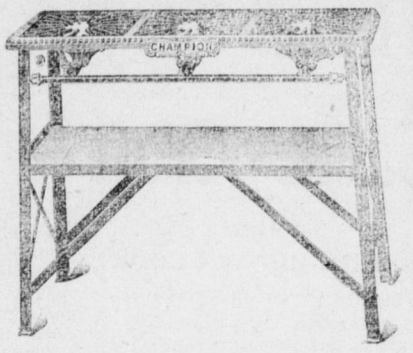

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The Mystery OF Carney-Croft

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CHAPTER XIV.—Continued.

"Under an awning, back of a ventilator, making voilent love to Miss Carney of Carney-Croft!" gurgled Miss Weston in a tone of waggish softness. How are we to address you in the future, my dear: 'The Rev. Mrs. Simpkins,' or 'Mrs. Rev. Simpkins,' or what, pray?"

"Wasn't he awful, Nan!" cried Miss Carney, laughing heartily. "And did you hear him saying good-by to the steward as we were coming into the dock?"

Turning to me she explained. "The chief steward was quite deaf and the reverend gentleman grasped him fervently by the hand and, rolling his eyes to heaven, said earnestly: 'Good-by, steward, good-by! I hope we may meet again; if not on earth perhaps in the home above!' 'Eh! eh!' cried the steward, putting his fiand to his ear. 'Wot line are ye goin' by?'

"How sailors do dislike to have clergymen on shipboard!" said Mrs. Randolph, in a conventionally apologetical tone as if, in her character of chaperone, she must be properly shocked at the levity of Miss Carney's narrative; but our merriment was too real to be subdued by a look, and at length she gave up entirely and laughed as heartily as the rest at the cleverly told little anecdote.

"There must be some reason for it," said Miss Weston with a chuckle, and then she added roguishly: "The captain said we were lucky to get home at all with such a 'delegation of dominies' on board to enrage the elements and drive the officers to suicide!"

By this time the customs inspector had finished with the hand luggage and Miss Carney, followed by the others, made her way to the end of the pier to the carriage I had provided for their use, leaving her maid to look after the trunks and heavier pieces of baggage.

"You must come, too," she insisted, as I was about to close the door of the brougham. "You know, Martha was born and brought up in New York and she can attend to the trunks and find her way to the hotel without the slightest difficulty. Besides," she continued, as I obediently took the vacant place opposite her, "I want to see you, and talk to you, and hear some good 'United States' spoken again."

Her eyes fairly sparkled and her expression of vivacity made her face radiant.

"There are so many things I want to ask," she went on, "that I don't know where to begin, except that you must tell me the very earliest minute that we can start for home."

"Any minute you wish," I replied, laughing. "The place is ready and waiting for its mistress."

"Why, how did you ever manage to do it all so soon?" she exclaimed in unfeigned delight. Then, turning to Mrs. Randolph, she continued: "Mr. Ware is one of the most wonderful men in the world! He must be descended from the genii of old, for I can hardly express a wish to him before it is fulfilled. How did you do it, Mr. Ware?"

"It wasn't a very difficult task, Miss Carney," I replied, with becoming modesty. "You see, being on the spot, as I was, I could direct the work to so much better advantage, and—"

"Why! were you there yourself?" she exclaimed in amazement; and then, turning her face away, a faint flush, scarcely visible at first, crept slowly up from her cheeks until it was lost under the little ringlets of soft brown hair that nestled about her ears and forehead.

My heart seemed to rise in my throat for an instant, and then began to beat so violently that its throbbings became somewhat audible as I said, somewhat sheepishly:

"Yes, I was there all the time. I went expecting to stay only a day or so, but there were so many things to be attended to that I stayed on and let the time go to my vacation."

"It couldn't have been much of a vacation," she exclaimed, regaining her composure in an instant, "and I don't intend that you shall be treated so shabbily. Mrs. Randolph, won't you please ask Mr. Ware to visit us at Carney-Croft for a fortnight after we get settled? If he makes any excuses I will order him to come in his professional capacity. You see, you can't escape us if you would," she laughed, and the matter was settled.

When we reached the hotel Miss Carney insisted on my ramaining to luncheon, explaining that she wished to talk over some business matters with me in the afternoon.

It was a merry quartette that assembled around the table in the dining-room of Miss Carney's apartments, and my memory naturally carried me back to my first luncheon with her, over three years before. The anxious, tearful expression of the past had given way to a countenance beaming with vivacity, health and peace with all the world, and her soft, ruddy complexion, heightened by the voyage across the Atlantic, enhanced, if such a thing were possible, the glorious beauty of her face.

We chattered in a delightfully unconventional way until luncheon was over and then Mrs. Randolph tactfully left us to ourselves to discuss business matters in the sitting-room, while Miss Weston, who was the very antithesis of Miss Carney by reason of her ill health and frail constitution, retired for her usual afternoon nap.

The moment we were alone Miss Carney's levity and frivolity left her, and, motioning me to a seat by her side, she plunged at once into the consideration of a mass of details concerning Carney-Croft and its affairs. Suddenly she surprised me by asking pointedly:

"Why did you remain at Carney-Croft longer than you had first intended? Was it solely to superintend the opening of the house or was it for some other reason?"

This question, put to me so ingenuously, could be answered only with the utmost frankness, and I said earnestly: "There was another reason, Miss Carney, and an important one."

Then I told her the whole story, as far as its practical features were concerned, but avoided, as much as possible, the recital of any unnecessary details.

"So you think this will all be stopped, now that you know who the ringleaders are?" she asked, anxiously.

"I am sure that it will," I replied, more positively than my true feelings warranted. "There has been no more of it since we learned who wrote the notes and it looks as if Jenks and this Bruce woman were going to keep the affair entirely to themselves. Besides, the new house the widow has is much better than the old one, and she has considerably more land than before. She ought to be perfectly satisfied with her present situation and stop her performances, if only for her own sake."

"There Are So Many Things I Want to Ask."

"But about their getting in and out of the house whenever they want to?" queried Miss Carney. "Don't you think it is rather dangerous to have any such mysteriously hidden entrance entirely unknown to us? Might they not get in again, while we are there, and take things or do something of that sort?"

"Oh, no!" I replied, reassuringly. "You may be certain they won't do that. If they had wanted to steal they'd have done it long ago, when they had the place to themselves. I think they had a key that opened one of the doors, and I've had new locks put all over the house. They couldn't get in now if they tried."

"What was said in the notes?" asked Miss Carney. "I wish you had saved them. I should have enjoyed seeing them, I know."

"Oh, nothing of any consequence," I replied, hastily. "Just a few words warning me not to allow you to return and expressed in regulation penny-dreadful style. The whole thing was crudely and awkwardly done and I am sure we have heard the last of it."

"I hope we have," she rejoined, earnestly. "I am very fond of Carney-Croft, and, while I don't believe in ghosts, and shouldn't fear them if I did, I cannot say that I fancy the idea or having human prowlers about the place. I know that we can get rid of them sooner or later, but I trust they won't cause us any annoyance at all."

"I said what I could to reassure her, and, as I was going away, she offered her hand and held mine while she said softly:

"You have been very thoughtful of my interests and happiness, Mr. Ware, and I appreciate it more than I can tell you."

The pressure of her fingers tightened for an instant and made the blood course through my veins until my whole body tingled and my breath seemed to catch in my throat. I mumbled a commonplace reply, and pulled myself together with an effort in order to avoid making my exit like a boy in his 'teens.

Before I reached my office, however, I had convinced myself that Miss Carney's behavior was due only to her simple, unaffected, generosity or disposition, coupled with her delight at returning home, and that I was no more than a conceited ass in attaching any other significance to it.

CHAPTER XV.

A New Victim.

"Good morning, Mr. Ware!" exclaimed Miss Carney, as I made a somewhat tardy appearance at the breakfast table not long after my arraival at Carney-Croft in acceptance of Mrs. Randolph's invitation. "What report has the bold Nimrod to-day? Are we to have game for dinner tomorrow, sir?"

"Not so much as the report of a gun," I replied, as I dropped into my seat. "I only flushed one bird and he flew straight into foliage so dense that I couldn't get a ghost of a sight on him—"

"We don't mind, so long as we don't get a sight of a ghost some dark night, do we, Nan?" laughed Miss Carney. "Besides, I've ordered some partridges from town and we won't be disappointed in our dinner, either! You should be very grateful to me for saving the day for you, sir!"

"You might save my reputation, too, if you would only remark casually, as the game is served, that I have been out shooting every morning since I came," I suggested with a smile. "I believe you are to have guests tomorrow."

"Yes," she returned with provoking gravity, "but it's to be the rector and his wife. I would do a great deal for you, as you know, but in such highly moral company you are asking too much!"

"Speaking of ghosts, Mr. Ware," said Miss Weston, whose assumption of interest and good spirits was scarcely in keeping with her wanly glistening eyes and the pale, emaciated, hectic expression of her face, "you seem to have these Carney-Croft wraiths most decidedly under your control. You have laid them, in a word, haven't you?"

"There certainly have been no uncanny doings since we've been here," cried Miss Carney in a bantering tone. "I don't really believe that Mr. Ware ever laid a ghost in his life, my dear. He has just been trying to tease us all the time!"

"I think Dr. MacArdel had more to do with it than I," I replied gravely. "He engineered the whole campaign against them and is entitled to all the credit of putting an end to their performances."

"Did you say that a woman was the leading spirit in all this mysterious affair?" asked Miss Weston, with interest.

"Yes," I returned "and a most mild mannered woman, too. You never would imagine that she could be capable of originating such a startling plot. It really was quite exciting while it lasted."

"I wonder if I saw her the other day," continued Miss Weston. "Was it the gentle-faced, motherly old soul who lives in the new house over by the orchard?"

"The very one," I replied, laughing. "And this same motherly old soul, as you call her, can be as self-contained and tragic as you please when occasion requires. She ought to be on the stage, I assure you."

"Why, what did she do that was so tragic?" they exclaimed in a breath, and Miss Carney continued, reprovingly: "You couldn't have told us the whole story, I'm sure. Please give us the tragic part of it at once, Mr. Ware."

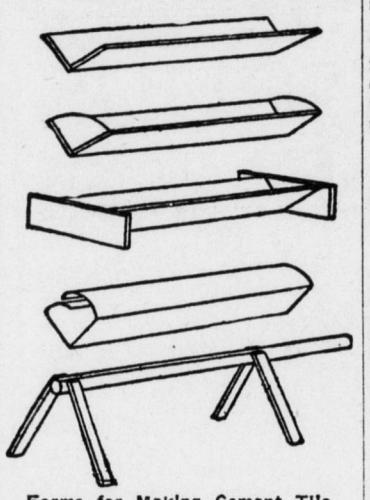
(TO BE CONTINUED.)

FARM AND GARDEN

MAKING TILE CEMENT.

It Is Easy Work When the Knack Has Been Learned.

It is surprising how fast one may make tile when once the knack is learned. Make a half dozen little troughs two feet long inside and three inches deep if you are to make a three-inch tile, and four inches deep for four-inch tile. These are quickly nailed together and are begun like No. 1 in the illustrations, and completed to look like No. 3. No. 2 shows a trough or mold that has a half inch of cement and sand laid over its inside and the tin form in place ready to cover with the same material.



Forms for Making Cement Tile.

After the six are filled, the first one may be set hard enough to turn out on some straw to fill again, says Farm and Home. But the tin lining must not be withdrawn until it is hard. One needs a large number of the tins, which can be made out of second-hand tin roof or any tin or stovepipe. They must be just two feet long so they will fit into the troughs.

To make them rapidly, select a sound pole and saw off six feet of it where it is three inches thick. Then nail legs to one end and at a point two and one-half feet from the other end. This leaves a horse that has a horn projecting on which the tin may be readily malleted. Shave the horse flat on top between the legs, to work on. First cut the sheet two feet long and putting the edges together, mallet it together through the middle lengthwise. Then spring it open on the horn and round it over so it will lap well at the top. It must not be riveted because it is to be sprung to take it out when the tile is hard. The tin is shown completed at No. 4 and the horse at No. 5.

The new tile must dry and season slowly so it will not check. To accomplish this sprinkle ocasionally with water. I prefer tile that is triangular in shape inside as it runs a deep current of water when laid edge down and is less likely to clog and fill. If used in soil that works into the tile a little form may be cast to place over each joint or flat stones may be used.

CORN ROOT APHIS.

Treatment Which Will Secure Protection Against the Pest.

As a means of replying to very many requests received for full and precise directions for the treatment of seed corn as a protection against injury by the corn root aphis, the Illinois state entomologist, Dr. S. A. Forbes, has prepared the following careful directions. The quantities mentioned are sufficient to treat the seed corn necessary to plant about 45 acres. If a larger or smaller acreage is to be planted, each can easily figure the necessary amount for himself.

1. Mix one pint of pure oil of lemon with one gallon of denatured alcohol or wood alcohol.

2. Put one bushel of seed corn into a tub or half a barrel, or similar vessel large enough to allow vigorous stirring of the corn.

3. Measure out one and a half pints of the mixture of oil of lemon and alcohol.

4. Slowly sprinkle this mixture on the corn, at the same time stirring the latter vigorously with a stout paddle or stick. Do not let the oil collect at the bottom of the vessel for lack of stirring and thorough mixing. Stir vigorously until the oil is well distributed. It should not take five minutes to prepare a bushel of seed.

5. Put the corn thus prepared into a grain sack and it is ready to take to the field for planting. Keep this sack in the shade.

6. Do not prepare more than can be planted in a half a day, unless it is convenient to return to the crib at noon.

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FAILED IN SMALL THINGS.

Congressman Evidently Was No Hero to His Wife.

There is a certain congressman who, whatever authority he may hold in the councils of state, is of comparatively minor importance in his own household. Indeed, it has been unkindly intimated that his wife is "the whole thing" in their establishment.

Representative and Mrs. Blank had been to Baltimore one afternoon. When they left the train at Washington, on their return, Mrs. Blank discovered that her umbrella, which had been intrusted to the care of her husband, was missing.

"Where's my umbrella?" she demanded.

"I'm afraid I've forgotten it, my dear," meekly answered the congressman. "It must still be in the train."

"In the train!" snorted the lady. "And to think that the affairs of the nation are intrusted to a man who doesn't know enough to take care of a woman's umbrella!"—Success Magazine.

PURIFIED LIFE INSURANCE.

Benefits from New Law, Which Remains Substantially Unchanged.

Through the influence of Gov. Hughes, the New York Legislature decided to make no radical changes in the new insurance law. It was pointed out by Gov. Hughes that the New York law has already accomplished widespread reforms, with proportionate benefits to policyholders, and that it should be given a thorough trial before any amendments were seriously considered. It is estimated that the cost of the mismanagement of the past did not average more than 20 cents to each policyholder, while the benefits to present and future policyholders will amount to many times more and be cumulative besides. The speed craze of the big companies and the excessive cost of securing new business was the most extravagant evil of the old managements. Under the new regime the cost of new business has already been greatly reduced, along with other economies.

The showing made by the Equitable Life Assurance Society in its report for 1906 was a strong argument against meddling with the new law. In the Equitable alone there was a saving of over $2,000,000 in expenses, besides an increase in the income from the Society's assets amounting to as much more. The ratios of the Equitable's total expenses to its total income was 19.42% in 1904, 17.38% in 1905, and only 14.48% in 1906. The dividends paid to Equitable policyholders in 1906 amounted to $7,289,734, which was an increase of more than 9% over 1905.

While the Equitable made a better showing than any other big company, all reported radical economies and under such conditions the Legislature wisely decided to leave the law substantially as it stands.

Forgetting Something.

When the train that conveyed President Roosevelt through Virginia on his last trip south stopped at Charlottesville, a negro approached the president's car and passed aboard a big basketful of fine fruit, to which was attached the card of a prominent grower.

In course of time the orchardist received a letter of acknowledgment from the White House expressing the president's appreciation of the gift, and complimenting the donor upon his fruit. The recipient of the letter was, of course, greatly pleased, and, feeling sure that his head gardener would be much interested in the letter, he read it to him. The darky who served in the capacity mentioned listened gravely, but his only comment was:

"He doan' say nothin' 'bout sendin' back de basket, do he?"—Success Magazine.

Would Take What They Had.

A gentleman purchased at a post office a large quantity of stamped envelopes, newspaper wrappers and other postal requisities.

Finding them somewhat difficult to carry, he asked one of the counter clerks if he could supply him with a small quantity of string.

"We are not permitted by the department to supply string," was the reply.

"Then give me a bit of red tape," was the sarcastic retort.

The string was supplied.

WENT TO TEA

And It Wound Her Bobbin.

Tea drinking frequently affects people as badly as coffee. A lady in Salisbury, Md., says that she was compelled to abandon the use of coffee a good many years ago, because it threatened to ruin her health and that she went over to tea drinking, but finally, she had dyspepsia so bad that she had lost twenty-five pounds and no food seemed to agree with her.

She further says: "As this time I was induced to take up the famous food drink, Postum, and was so much pleased with the results that I have never been without it since. I commenced to improve at once, regained my twenty-five pounds of flesh and went some beyond my usual weight.

"I know Postum to be good, pure, and healthful, and there never was an article, and never will be, I believe, that does so surely take the place of coffee, as Postum Food Coffee. The beauty of it all is that it is satisfying and wonderfully nourishing. I feel as if I could not sing its praises too loud." Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

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Cleveland Artist Came Back with a Counter Proposition.

A local newspaper artist got a letter one day from a man over in Indiana who said he was making a collection of sketches, says the Cleveland Plain Dealer. "I have drawings from well known newspaper artists in nearly every state in the union," the Indiana man wrote, "but I have none from Ohio. I have seen some of your work and I think it is good. If you will send me some little sketch for my collection I shall have it framed."

The artist noticed from the letterhead that the Indiana man was connected with a bank in one of the small towns in the state of literature. That gave him a hunch, and he wrote back as follows:

"I am making a collection of ten dollar bills. I haven't secured specimens from every state in the union, but I have several tens and a few twenties, and I am particularly anxious to have a ten dollar bill from Indiana. I notice that you are employed in a place where ten dollar bills are kept, and if you send me one for my collection I shall be glad to have it framed."

SUFFERED TORTURES.

Racked with Pain, Day and Night, for Years.

Wm. H. Walter, engineer, of Chatsworth, Ills., writes: "Kidney disease was lurking in my system for years. I had torturing pain in the side and back and the urine was dark and full of sediment. I was racked with pain day and night, could not sleep or eat well, and finally became crippled and bent over with rheumatism. Doan's Kidney Pills brought quick relief, and in time, cured me. Though I lost 40 pounds, I now weigh 200, more than ever before."

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SYMPATHY FOR THE FISH.

Upton Sinclair's Amazing Parable on Charity of the Rich.

Upton Sinclair, in an address before a body of Chicago Socialists, said of charity:

"The average charity, the charity of the rich, seems rather futile to me. The rich oppress the poor enormously, then they help them slightly. It is like the young lady angler.

"'Why,' said a man to this young lady, 'do you always carry a bottle of liniment with you on your fishing excursions?'

She sighed.

"'I am sorry,' she said plaintively, 'for the poor little fish. And so, when I take one off the hook, I always rub its cut mouth with some liniment.'"

His Idea of a Good Time.

The retired contractor sighed as he got into his dress suit and thought of the elaborate dinner and the opera that were to come.

"Some day," he said, "I'll git real desp'rit, an' then do you know what I'll do?"

"Something terrible, no doubt," replied his ambitious wife.

"I suppose it wouldn't look well in print," he admitted, "but I can't help that. What I'll do will be to throw away these high-priced cigars, put on some old clothes, go out an' come in by the back way an' smoke a quarter pound of cut-up chewin' tobacco in a cob pipe while I'm talkin' things over with the coachman in the barn."—The Bohemian.

Text Somewhat Apropos.

The Rev. J. B. Hammill, the eloquent preacher of the Hanson Place Methodist Episcopal church, Brooklyn, was preaching at Sayville, L. I., from the text "Look well to your foundations." After repeating the text he leaned heavily on the pulpit desk, which gave way and plunged over the altar rail, nearly hitting the laymen in the front seat and scattering the Bible and the preacher's notes among the holders of the pews. The aged preacher barely escaped a tumble over the altar with the heavy desk.

Not Partial to Nursing.

Not long ago a young Irishman was seeking work in western Illinois, and among those to whom he applied was a farmer near Cairo.

The farmer was attracted by the Celt's frank, cheery manner, and, while he was not in need of help, he asked, after a pause:

"Can you cradle?"

"Cradle!" repeated the Irishman. "Sure, I can! But, sir," he added, persuasively, "couldn't ye give me a job out-of-dures?"—Harper's Weekly.

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CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

Positively cured by these Little Pills.

They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue, Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable.

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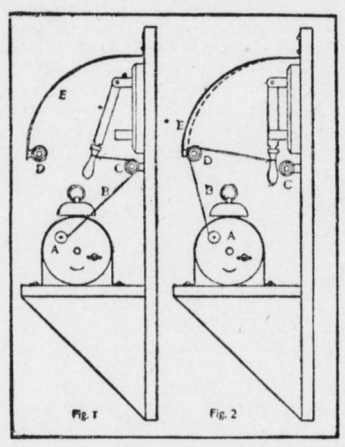
THE ELECTRICAL WORLD

AUTOMATIC TIME SWITCH.

Can Be Used to Open or Close the Circuit.

This device can be used to either open or close the circuit at any desired time. An alarm clock is firmly fastened to a wooden bracket and provided with a small wood or metal drum, A, to which is fastened a cord, B. The other end of the cord is tied to the switch handle so that when the alarm goes off the switch is either opened or closed, depending on whether the cord is passed over pulley C or pulley D.

When the cord is passed over pulley C, as shown in Fig. 1, the circuit will be closed when the alarm goes off, but if it is passed over D the circuit will be opened. Pulley D is fastened to a piece of spring steel, E, which in operation is bent, as shown by the



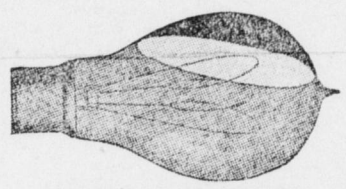
Will Open or Close Circuit as Desired.

dotted lines, thus, explains Popular Mechanics, causing the switch to snap open quickly and prevent forming an arc.

IMPROVING ELECTRIC LIGHT.

Cheap But Good Reflector for Incandescent Lamp.

A very good reflector for electric light bulbs, lantern globes, lamp chimneys, etc., is made as follows: With pen and ink lay out a circle on the bulb or chimney the size of the reflecting surface desired. Then give this section of the bulb two coats of aluminum lacquer or aluminum enamel. Do the coating while the lamp is lighted, so as to get the coating on evenly. To draw a circle on glass with a pen compass, paste a small piece of cardboard on the glass and push the center point of the compass into the cardboard.



Aluminum Lacquer Reflector.

NEW TELEPHONE SYSTEM.

Instrument Which Receives and Delivers Messages at Long Range.

The latest time-saving addition to business system is a little instrument which enables the head of a business or department to converse with one or all of his subordinate officers in an ordinary tone of voice, in any part of his office, and without holding the apparatus to his ear or mouth. Their replies will come to him in like fashion, so that the whole conversation will be just the same as if all parties were talking together in one room. If the manager wishes to communicate with one person only, he can easily make it impossible for anyone else to overhear, and if he wishes to keep the replies secret from someone in his own office, there is a receiver which he can use in the ordinary way.

Poulson Wireless Progressing.

Vladimir Poulson, the Danish inventor, expects soon to establish wireless communication across the Atlantic from Denmark to America. He has erected a station a few miles from Copenhagen and an American station will be completed in a few weeks. His system is based on "singing" electric waves which, he says, have inexhaustible power, where the spark system loses energy over long distances. Mr. Poulson first perfected his system for a distance of 40 miles, increasing it to 190, 380 and 760 miles; now he declares that he can operate over greater distances than the Atlantic's breadth.

Wireless Station on Airship.

The possibilities and practical utility of wireless telegraphy in aerial navigation will be thoroughly investigated aboard Count Zeppelin's airship this summer. A wireless station has been installed on the craft, in which, instead of extending upward as in other stations, the receiver extends downward, consisting of a bronze wire 300 feet long. Power from the airship's two 80-hp. motors works the transmitter, which is capable of sending messages 150 miles.

Nitrogen Gas.

The use of nitrogen gas has been tried in France for inflating tires.

POWER OF ELECTRICITY.

Railways of the World to Be Operated By This Irresistible Force.

Electricity now completely dominates the urban railway systems of America and Europe, and is invading with irresistible force that of suburban and interurban railroads to such an extent that it would be difficult to enumerate them even in the United States.

The systems which reach out from Boston, with connections which extend 40, 50 and even 100 miles, are only a sample of the wonderful development of the last 15 years, while the projects for future means of transportation in New England are so comprehensive as to exclude the use of steam by all the companies which operate transportation lines for passengers and freight within a radii of 50 miles at least from all large centers of population.

A single line, from Indianapolis to Cincinnati, a distance of 120 miles, already enjoys a large traffic in both freight and passengers, and the New York Central railroad company proposes to at once instal electricity in place of steam to a distance of 40 miles in all its vast system radiating from New York city.

In Europe one of the longest electric lines is from Liverpool to Southport, although many projects of even more gigantic proportions are under way throughout England.

Most of these lines are in regions where there are not sufficient waterfalls from which to generate power. But where there are waterfalls—the surest, easiest and most economical source of energy in the world—there is no reason why the electric engine may not supersede steam entirely while it seems positive that a great region which has no railroads would, if lines were to be built, adopt the electric system, even though there were no water power, and having that, would not hesitate in the choice.

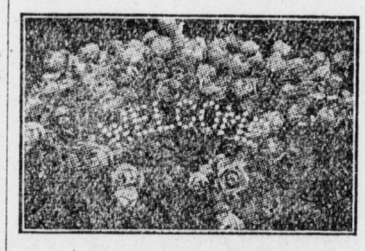
The Italian government, in conjunction with the railroads, has been carrying on successful experiments and extending the use of electricity for nearly ten years, and now a line is being fitted up from Rome to Civita-Castellana.

The governments of Norway and Sweden are already occupied with the application of electricity to the larger lines; France is equipping roads with it as fast as possible, and being outdone by Germany; Switzerland is adopting it as rapidly as possible; Spain has awakened to the importance of electric railways, and is about to build one nearly 100 miles long; Mexico has just equipped one of over 100 miles, and the United States has many which are still larger. Even in Colombia, where there are practically no railroads, the most prominent engineers, in consultation with Pres Reyes, are contemplating the utilization of the vast torrents now plunging to waste from the precipitous mountains, to operate new railroads which they declare will be "the wonder of the world."

ELECTRIC BOUQUET.

A Novelty Which is Proving Very Popular.

A pleasing electric novelty which any electrician can easily make is the electric bouquet. The idea is suited to many occasions, such as receptions, weddings and presentations. In a large bouquet or design of natural flowers are placed small incandescent lamps, either white or colored, arranged in the form of letters to pro-



The Electric Bouquet.

duce either initials or words. For example, says Popular Mechanics, on the recent occasion of a reception given by his employes to their manager on his return from a long absence a mammoth bouquet of roses was presented to him, in the middle of which glowing in soft colors was the word "Welcome." Current was taken from a wall bracket through a flexible cord 20 feet long, which permitted the bouquet to be carried about the room.

Moving Pictures of the Heart.

By the use of X-rays and the cinematograph, an apparatus for repeatedly photographing moving objects at very brief intervals, scientists have succeeded in photographing movements of internal organs like the heart and lungs. These moving pictures when reproduced on a screen are of great assistance to medical men.

Hydraulic Sluicing.

Hydraulic sluicing is being employed at Seattle, Wash., for the removal of a large hill in the residential section of the city. The material consists principally of blue clay, which is exceedingly tenacious and hard to move, but is easily handled by a six-inch giant nozzle at 120-pound pressure hydraulic. The supply of water is taken from Puget Sound, some 2,500 feet distant.

Steal Telephone Wire.

A gang of expert thieves stripped telephone poles of wire for a distance of three blocks in Chicago, recently, and secured in all about 600 pounds of copper.

GOOD IDEA FOR MATCHES.

Double Enders Popular Among Smokers in Mexico.

"Mexico may be behind us in some things, but she has us lashed to the wheel when it comes to making matches," said a man just in from the land of the Montezumas as he handed out a wax lucifer with a head on each end.

"I saw nothing but double ended matches while I was away, and I can tell you that they save one's record with the Recording Angel. If you dig down in your pocket and find one match the chances are that you are sure of a light, because if one end goes out the other is left. These old time matches, just revived, that splutter brilliant sparks may be all right when it comes to pleasing the baby, but the fellow who puts on the market a double ended match will find a ready demand."

BLACK, ITCHING SPOTS ON FACE.

Physician Called It Eczema in Worst Form—Patient Despaired of Cure—Cuticura Remedies Cured Her.

"About four years ago I was afflicted with black splotches all over my face and a few covering my body, which produced a severe itching irritation, and which caused me a great deal of suffering, to such an extent that I was forced to call in two of the leading physicians of ———. After a thorough examination of the dreaded complaint they announced it to be skin eczema in the worst form. Their treatment did me no good. Finally I became despondent and decided to discontinue their services. My husband purchased a single set of the Cuticura Remedies, which entirely stopped the breaking out. I continued the use of the Cuticura Remedies for six months, and after that every splotch was entirely gone. I have not felt a symptom of the eczema since, which was three years ago. Mrs. Lizzie E. Sledge, 540 Jones Ave., Selma, Ala., Oct. 28, 1905."

Prizes for Tanned Faces.

With the object of encouraging the pupils of the Farnham grammar school to spend their recent holiday in the open air as much as possible, the Rev. S. Priestley, the head-master, offered a prize to the boy who returned to school with the brownest face. On the pupils reassembling for the summer term 12 were picked out as being the most tanned, and it was announced that the judges had awarded the prize to Foster, the captain of the school. It is understood that Foster declines to divulge to the other boys the secret of his preparation, if any.—London Globe.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by all Druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Quaker Wit.

A Quaker riding in a carriage with a fashionable woman decked with a profusion of jewelry, as a substitute, perhaps, for her scantiness of clothes, heard her complaining of the cold. Shivering in her lace bonnet and shawl, she exclaimed, "What shall I do to get warm?"

"I really don't know," replied the Quaker solemnly, "unless thou put on another breastpin."—Sunday Magazine.

Let a man overcome anger by love; let him overcome evil by good, the greedy by liberality, the liar by truth. —Buddha.

Sarcasm.

The hatchet-faced female surveyed the tramp at her back door, then she sniffed the air suspiciously.

"You want something to eat?" she sneered. "I smell liquor!"

"Hain't got any on me."

"Strange. I detect a distinct odor of liquor."

"Ain't got a drop," the tramp protested.

"Are you sure you haven't a bottle concealed in your pocket?"

"Aw, take me word for it. If I had I'd oblige yer an' produce. I never wuz stingy at sharin' de booze."

Thereupon he faded away gracefully.

Ladies Can Wear Shoes

One size smaller after using Allen's Foot-Ease. A certain cure for swollen, sweating, hot, aching feet. At all Druggists, 25c. Accept no substitute. Trial package FREE. Address A. S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

Man is not the creature of circumstances; circumstances are the creatures of men.—Disraeli.

Don't Sneeze Your Head Off.

Krause's Cold Capsules will cure you almost instantly. At all Druggists, 25c.

To have what we want is riches; to be able to do without it is power.—Goethe.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.

For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

Wisely and slow; they stumble that run fast.—Shakespeare.

On the Honeymoon.

"So you were well pleased with the train on which you took your wedding trip?" said the bosom friend. "Was it an accommodation train?"

The young man's face beamed with delight.

"I should say it was an accommodation train," he confided. "Why, the porter put the light out every time we reached a tunnel."

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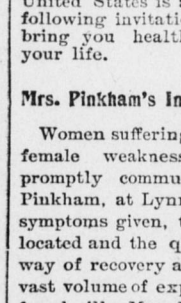

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Trial bottle 10c At druggists

WORKING WOMEN, WHAT THEY SHOULD KNOW

MRS. SADIE ABBOTT — MRS. PREE McKITRICK

Women for the most part spend their lives at home, and it is these women who are willing and ambitious that their homes shall be kept neat and pretty, their children well dressed and tidy, who do their own cooking, sweeping, dusting and often washing, ironing and sewing for the entire family, who call for our sympathy.

Truly the work of such a woman is "never done" and is it any wonder that she breaks down at the end of a few years, the back begins to ache, there is a displacement, inflammation or ulceration of the abdominal organs, a female weakness is brought on, and the struggle of that wife and mother to continue her duties is pitiful.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from native roots and herbs, is the exact medicine a woman needs whose strength is overtaxed. It keeps the feminine organs in a strong and healthy condition. In preparing for childbirth and recuperating therefrom it is most efficient. It carries a woman safely through the change of life and in making her strong and well assists her to be a good wife and mother.

Mrs. Sadie Abbott, of Jeannette, Pa., writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham—

"I suffered severely with pain every month and also a pain in my left side. My doctor prescribed for me but did me no good; a friend advised Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I wrote you in regard to my condition. I followed your advice and am a perfectly well woman. The pains have all disappeared and I cannot recommend your medicine too highly."

Mrs. Pree McKitrick, of La Farge, Wis., writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:

"For six years I suffered from female weakness. I was so irregular that I would go from three weeks to six months, so I thought I would give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial.

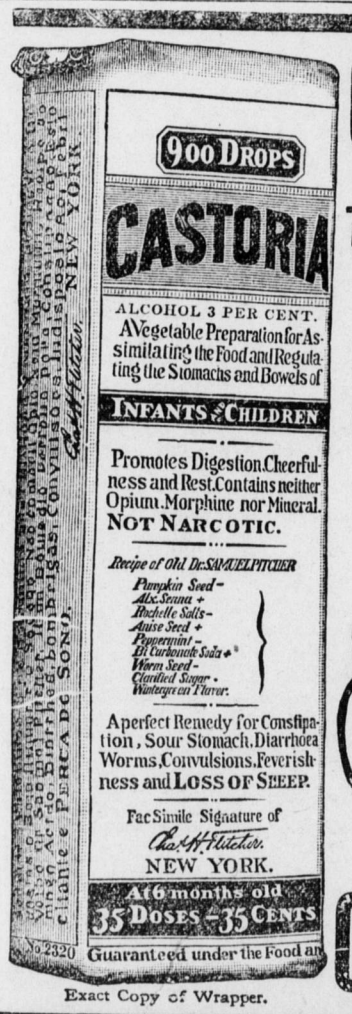
"Now I am once more well and can do my work without a pain. Any one who wishes, can write to me and I will answer all letters gladly."

Women should remember that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound holds the record for the greatest number of actual cures of female ills. Every suffering woman in the United States is asked to accept the following invitation. It is free, will bring you health and may save your life.

Mrs. Pinkham's Invitation to Women.

Women suffering from any form of female weakness are invited to promptly communicate with Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. From the symptoms given, the trouble may be located and the quickest and surest way of recovery advised. Out of her vast volume of experience in treating female ills Mrs. Pinkham probably has the very knowledge that will help your case. Her advice is free and always helpful.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Succeeds Where Others Fail.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Will give prompt attention to all business entrusted to them. 16-1y.

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Collections promptly attended to. Real estate and pension claim agent,
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WILLIAM MCDONALD, Proprietor.
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TEACHER OF
PIANO, HARMONY AND THEORY,
Also dealer in all the Popular Sheet Music,
Emporium, Pa.
Scholars taught either at my home on Sixth street or at the homes of the pupils. Out of town scholars will be given dates at my rooms in this place.

Executors Notice.

Estate of JOHN DAY, late of the Borough of Emporium, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that letters testamentary upon the estate of said decedent have been granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay, to

GEORGE L. DAY,
HERBERT DAY,
Executors.
Or to their Attorneys, GREEN & FELT. 17-6t.
Emporium, Pa., June 12th, 1907.

Executor's Notice.

Estate of AUGUSTUS C. GOODWIN, late of the Township of Shippen, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that letters testamentary upon the estate of the said decedent have been granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay to

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Latest County Correspondence.

FROM OUR REPORTERS.

SINNAMAHONING.

Fien growing weather and crops are looking better.

C. A. Scudder has resigned his position with the B. & S. and accepted one with the P. & E. R. R. at Driftwood.

Jas. H. Haynes has purchased a phonograph and can now make his own music.

W. H. Metzger is contemplating going trout fishing this week. Look out for some big ones.

The powder plant resumed work on Monday, making dynamite. It will take a few weeks longer to get the gelatine plant running.

Hon. C. F. Barclay was at Emporium Friday.

G. B. Barclay left for Seattle, Wash., on Friday.

C. W. Shoemaker and wife of New York, visited friends here last week.

Mrs. C. A. Roberts of Owego, N. Y., is visiting her brother, Congressman Barclay this week.

G. B. Barclay, the firm of Barclay Bros., is in the state of Washington, looking over a large tract of timber. He will be absent until fall.

Miss Belle Ullrich, who was taken to Williamsport hospital last Saturday, died Sunday evening. The remains were taken to Emporium for burial Wednesday. The shell girls of the Sinnamahoning Powder Co., will go to Emporium as casket bearers.

Mr. and Mrs. Saunders will start on a visit to Missouri next week.

W. C. 136, P. O. S. of A received an invitation from our pastor, Rev. C. W. Dickson to attend services at the M. E. church on Sunday evening, the 23d. About 40 members were in line and listened to one of the best sermons ever delivered here and will long be remembered. Those who were not there missed a treat.

Rev and Mrs. Dickson have taken our little town by a storm of love and good work and kindness, visiting the sick and afflicted and having a pleasant word for everybody.

County Chairman Geo. P. Shafer was at Harrisburg last week. He reports that we have a fine building but the fixtures are cheap affairs.

Geo. P. Shafer, son of the late Joe M. Shafer, proprietor of the Sinnamahoning House, who was elected Democratic County Chairman is a true blue General Jackson Democrat and will lead the county to victory if any one can. [300 Republican majority.]—EDITOR PRESS.

DEBSE.

I will mail you free, to prove merit, samples of my Shoop's Restorative, and my Book on either Dyspepsia, The Heart or The Kidneys, Troubles of the Stomach, Heart or Kidneys, are merely symptoms of a deeper ailment. Don't make the common error of treating symtoms only. Symtom treatment is treating the result of your ailment, and not the cause. Weak Stomach nerves—the inside nerves—mean Stomach weakness, always. And the Heart, and Kidneys as well, have their controlling or inside nerves. Weaken these nerves, and you inevitably have week vital organs. Here is where Dr. Shoop's Restorative has made its fame. No other remedy ever claims to treat the "inside nerves" Also for bloating, biliousness, bad breath or complexion use Dr Shoop's Restorative. Write me to-day for sample and free Book. Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. The Restorative is sold by all dealers.

Bert Barber, of Elton Wis., says I have only taken four doses of your Kidney and Bladder Pills and they have done far more than any other medicine has ever done. I am still taking the pills as I want a perfect cure." Mr. Barber refers to DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills, which are unequalled for Backache, weak kidneys, inflammation of the bladder and urinary troubles. A week's treatment for 25c. Sold by R. C. Dodson.

A Fortunate Texan.

E. W. Goodloe, of 107 S. Louis street, Tex., says: "In the past year I have become acquainted with Dr. King's New Life Pills, and no laxative I ever before tried so effectually disposes of malaria and biliousness." They don't grind nor gripe. 25c at all drug stores.

Stenographer.

A steady young man wanted for stenographer and book-keeping, for a near by enterprise. Apply at once at PRESS office. 14-tf.

For Sale or Rent.

Sterling House, opposite depot, Sterling Run, Pa. Inquire at City Hotel, Emporium, Pa.
11-tf. MRS. MAHONY.

Removal of The Emporium Water Company Office.

TO THE PATRONS OF THE EMPORIUM WATER COMPANY:—

The Office of The Emporium Water Company will be located in The Parsons Bazaar, on Chestnut street, second door from corner, on July 1st, 1907, where all payments will be made to the Collector.

Thanking you for your patronage in the past we remain.

Respectfully Yours,
THE EMPORIUM WATER COMPANY.
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For Sale.

A good six room house, with gas and water; centrally located. On easy terms. Apply to
52-tf. W. H. HOWARD.

STERLING RUN.

Ned White and family of Paducah, Ky., are visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs J. R. Frank of this place.

Ed. Whiting, wife and daughter Marion were Emporium visitors Monday.

Elmer Whiting of Hicks Run, visited his family Sunday.

Nellie and Gladys O'Keefe left Saturday for several months visit with friends in Connecticut.

Mrs. Wright of Columbia, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Herrick.

Mrs. W. M. Summerson and sons Arthur and Kenneth of Hicks Run, are visiting relatives and friends in this section.

Frank Lenard of Renovo, was a visitor in town on Sunday.

Mrs. Anna Housler and children of North Creek, are visiting their parents Wm. Berry and wife.

A. G. Harvey and family and brother-in-law, Mr. Brounco and family moved to town the past week. Harvey is running one of the saw mills for Eastmon at Pine Street.

Mrs. Minnie Quinn of Emporium is a visitor in town.

Dorsey Spangler and wife returned from their wedding trip on Tuesday, having taken in the sights at Philadelphia, Washington and Atlantic City.

We are glad to hear that W. E. Devling is improving at the Williamsport hospital.

Miss Floy Whiting left Saturday on a visit with frienes at Williamsport.

Genevieve Frank, who has been teaching in Perth Amboy, N. J., returned home Saturday.

Mrs. Jos. Robinson of Cameron, was a visitor in town Tuesday.

Mary Summerson was a Cameron visitor on Tuesday.

Mabel Wylie has returned home, after closing a successful term of school at Altoona.

Kathrine May visited at North Bend on Saturday.

BLUE BELL.

RICH VALLEY.

Delbert Rockwell of Mix Run, accompanied by Miss Gertrude Housler of Lawn View, attended church at Cooks Run Sunday evening.

Agnes Taylor of North Creek, was the guest of Mrs. A. C. Dow last week.

Gertrude Swesey of Maple Shade, returned home from Lock Haven, where she attended normal school.

The proceeds of the box social at L. Lockwood's Saturday evening, were $22.

Messrs. Ora Conway and Joseph Cook of camp 26, Elk Fork, called on Cooks Run Junction friends Saturday evening.

There was no services at the church Sunday evening. Too much rain.

Lowell Lewis of Lewis Run, is under the doctor's care, having injured his knee.

Jake Swesey has been drawing hay from Elk Fork this week.

Miss Bertha Wright of the city has been spending the week with Tillman Chadwick and wife of Cooks Run.

Chas. Barr and daughter Beatrice were on our streets Monday, as was Blanch Moon.

Edw. McCormick purchased a hunting dog last week.

Hunkey, the second, was visiting Valley friends Sunday.

The secretary of the local athletic club is in receipt of a letter from Clive Lewis formerly of this place, now manager of the Mix Run athletic club containing a challenge for some of our pugs. There will be doings in pugilistic circles ere long.

M. A. S.

CAMERON.

A slight wreck occurred in the P. & E. yard last Saturday, caused by the derailment of the local freight engine. The Renovo force soon had the tracks cleared.

Millie Haslet returned home Sunday after an extended visit with friends in New York state.

Mrs. John Clark, who was operated on at Williamsport last week is getting along quite well and is expected home this week.

Mrs. Chas Burkland was taken ill very suddenly Saturday evening. Dr. Falk of Emporium was called.

The river has been quite high the past few days.

Mr. Lawson of Beechwood, spent Sunday in town.

Children's day services were held in the K. G. E. Hall Sunday evening. The hall was handsomely trimmed with flowers and evergreens. Much credit is due Mr. Cousins who had charge of the trimmings.

Mr. and Mrs. Kruger, Mr. and Mrs. Webster and Dr. Bush, spent a very pleasant afternoon Sunday with Wm. Wykoff.

Fred Comley was an Emporium visitor this week.

G. L. Page called on friends at St. Marys Monday.

J. F S.

Harry S. Lloyd sells Longman & Martinez L. & M. Paints in pints and quartz at half-gallon price. 13-4t.

HUNTLEY.

W. R. Smith and family spent Sunday with Wm. Smith at Sterling Run.

Darius Ives and family visited relatives on Mason Hill Sunday.

Wayne Nelson has resigned his position with the railroad and contemplates entering the mercantile business in the near future. His friends wish him success in his new vocation.

Edw. Schwab and family of Cameron spent Sunday with Levi Smith.

Mrs. W. W. Johnson is some better at this writing.

The Driftwood callers this week were: Wayne Nelson, Mrs. Wm. Logue and daughter, Lloyd and Walter Logue and Darris Ives.

Miss Cathrine Johnson spent Sunday with Mrs. J. L. Johnson on East Side.

Ruth and John Sullivan, Jr., spent Sunday with Nellie Logue.

Thos. Kailbourn was an Emporium visitor Sunday.

Miss Della Lord of Sterling Run, spent Sunday with A. W. Smith and sister.

Lloyd Logue was a business caller in Renovo Saturday.

G. W. Starr is visiting friends in Sterling Run.

Path master Walter Logue is making some needed repairs to the roads in the township.

Elmer Hill of Grove Hill spent Monday with relatives in town.

East Side pathmaster A. M. Smith was a business caller in town Monday.

Engineman Harry Johnson and family of Renovo spent Sunday with their parents.

Mrs. Geo. Hill of Grove Hill, left on Tuesday to attend the graduation exercises at the Lock Haven Normal, where her daughter Gertrude graduated Wednesday.

Thos. Kailbourn and Elmer Hill attended the family reunion at Jas. Russells on Mason Hill, June 19th.

J. F. S.

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PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD

Bulletin.

PHILADELPHIA'S GREAT WEEK.

July 15 to 20, when the Elks hold their Annual Reunion in Philadelphia will be a glorious week in the Quaker City. Not for years have sach elaborate preparations been made to honor the City's guests as those which are now being made to welcome members of the Order, and to entertain the thousands who are expected to visit the city during the week.

A grand Court of Honor in Broad Street, the most magnificent structure of the kind ever erected in America, costing $50,000, will be a great feature of the occasion. Every night during the week this Court of Honor, together with the City Hall, will be illuminated by myriads of electric lights of various colors.

On Wednesday, July 17, a massed band parade of over 2000 musicians will take place.

On Thursday, July 18, the Grand Parade of all visiting Elks will occur. Over 15,000 men from all sections of the country will participate. Each Lodge will have its own band and will wear a distinct uniform. Each uniform will typify the state or city represented by the lodge. Many of the uniforms will be historical and picturesque.

On Saturday, July 20, there will be a grand excursion to the seashore. Atlantic City, Cape May, Wildwood, Ocean City, Asbury Park, and other popular resorts are within easy reach of Philadelphia by the fast express trains of the Pennsylvania Railroad.

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